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MAYOR COURTNEY

Favors the Appointment of Inspector of Wires.

THINKS SUCH AN OFFICIAL WOULD DO GOOD.

The Law in Regard to This Question.

Mayor Courtney believes that an inspector of wires should be provided for the city.

Yesterday afternoon in conversation with a Sun reporter the recent trouble the street railroad company has had with its wires was referred to, and when the reporter asked His Honor what he thought of having an inspector of wires, the latter answered:

"Well, I never gave the matter very much consideration. I read about the trouble with falling wires and I think that it would be well to have an inspector who could examine these wires and see what condition they are in, and how they are strung.

"I suppose he could be furnished with maps showing the location of poles on which wires are strung and undoubtedly a good, faithful official in such a position attending strictly to business would discover any fault with the wires, that might lead to an accident were it allowed to go without repair."

See Second Edition.

ADMIRAL BELKNAP

Read Another Paper on His Naval Experiences.

Admiral Belknap read another interesting paper to a fair sized audience in Associate hall, last evening, on his naval experiences before and during the war, while an officer on the battleship St. Louis. He related in a graphic and highly interesting manner his experiences while stationed at Vera Cruz, and while with the fleet during the capture of Fort Perkins, which was one of the three coast defences in Pensacola bay, about three miles from the city of Pensacola, were intensely interesting.

WANNALANCITS

Give a Concert for Members and Friends.

The entertainment in Odd Fellows' temple last night, was given by Wannalancit encampment.

The program included: Mrs. Nettie Roberts, Miss Alice Hunt, Miss Taylor and Mrs. J. A. Weinbeck; banjo duets, by Masters Eugene Knowlton and Albert Ludwig; piano solos by Minnie Lockhart; piano duets by Miss Alice Hunt and Miss McIntire; readings by Mr. A. P. Perham of Chelmsford lodge, and Miss Lillian Forbes of Chelmsford; violin solos by Mr. Harrington; concertina music by Prof. Samuel Smith.

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THE SOLDIER GIRLS

Of the High School Give an Exhibition

WITH GREAT SUCCESS IN HUNTINGTON HALL.

A Large Gathering of Young People Present.

The young ladies of the High school demonstrated to an immense audience last evening that they are as proficient in the physical culture drill as is the boys' battalion in the manual of arms, and drill.

The large audience crowded all the available space in Huntington hall and applauded the pretty movements made by the young ladies. Probably no previous drill of the girls equalled last night's. There have been just as large audiences present at former events, but never have the girls in blue given such an excellent exhibition.

The American orchestra furnished music and as it played the first march, Miss Anna Cassidy, her gown of blue, brilliant and glittering with gold trimmings, at the head of the first battalion marched in her pretty soldiers. Then followed a series of marching movements in which the officers also took part.

The Delsarte exercises came next and the pretty little major took her position on the stage, gave her orders to the battalion and accompanied them in the drill.

But what excited the greatest enthusiasm was the battalion march in which the young ladies did themselves proud.

The officers of this battalion are;

Major, Miss Anna Cassidy.

Co. A—Mabel Brown, captain; Marie Davis, first lieutenant; Mabel Miller, second lieutenant.

Co. B—Alice Emmott, captain; Alice Richardson and Lilian Burbank, lieutenants.

Co C—Helen Dimon, captain; Margaret Willey and Charlotte Cheney, lieutenants.

Co. D—Katherine Law, captain; Oma Brown and Ella Penn, lieutenants.

The second battalion came in under command of Miss Evelyn Wilson, and after the opening march came the Swedish drill, and the dumb-bell work. The officers were:

Co. A—Isabella Faulkner, captain; Alice Bacheller, first lieutenant; Mabel A. Metcalf, second lieutenant.

Co. B—Ida M. Woodies, captain; Ethel Livingston and Ethel M. Everett, lieutenants.

Co. C—Ethel Whitcomb, captain; Edna G. McBrayne and Mabel H. Hall, lieutenants.

Co. D—Edith Merchant, captain; Alice Duckworth and Grace D. Hutchinson, lieutenants.

Music for the drill was played by Miss Edith Andrews, pianist.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Hear Several Petitioners for Damages for Injuries of Various Kinds.

The committee on claims gave hearings upon several petitions last evening.

J. B. Varnum's claim for the settlement of a contract upon the construction of the Memorial building was continued until the 28th instant.

Chas. L. Sweetser was given leave to withdraw upon his claim for damages for injury to a horse.

Bridget Allen's claim for damages in consequence of injury received by a fall on the street was continued.

Julia A. Coburn was given leave to withdraw upon a claim for damages sustained by the widening of Varnum avenue.

Esther M. Haynes was heard upon a claim for abatement of taxes for 1892 and '93 amounting to $1479, was referred to the city solicitor to report at the next meeting.

Several witnesses were heard upon the claim of Annie Rainey of damages for bodily injuries. John W. McEvoy appeared for the petitioner, and the case was continued until the next meeting to hear the report of the attending physician.

Off For Europe.

The following Lowell people are to leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for Europe: Miss Margaret O'Neil, Kate White, Maria Morton, Eliza A. Campbell, Maggie Marshall, Nellie Marshall, Ann Malone, John Judge, James Marlow, and Thos. Carney, all booked through Murphy's steamship agency.

Shuman's suits, $10, today at the Merrimack Clothing Co., opp. City hall.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, desire to express our heartfelt gratitude in this public manner to all neighbors, friends, and relatives and all others who in any way tried to lessen our great sorrow at the death of a devoted husband and a kind and loving son. Especial thanks are tendered those who sent floral offerings and for attendance at the funeral. They may rest assured that their kindness to us in the hour of our sad, sad bereavement will never be forgotten.

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OLD WAR COMRADES

Of Company A, 33d Regiment Held Their Third Reunion.

Company A, 33d regiment, had its third reunion yesterday afternoon. The ranks have grown very thin but those who remain were enthusiastic in recalling the memories of their war exploits.

The survivors present yesterday were: S. C. Smiley, John McQuesten, Charles H. Kimball, Darius Whitbed, J. B. Brown, Samuel Lawrence of Lowell; A. C. Stacy of Boston; J. V. Abbott of Dedham; E. A. Bartlett of Chelmsford; J. H. Little of Winchester, N. H; C. F. Hardy of Groveland.

President Smiley presided at the business meeting, which was held in Post 120 hall. It was reported that one comrade had died during the year, Andrew A. Mason.

The officers were re-elected as follows: President, S. C. Smiley; vice president, John McQuestion; secretary and treasurer, A. C. Stacy.

A letter of regret was read from Mayor Courtney. It was voted to leave the time and place of the next reunion to the officers.

Then the veterans adjourned to the cafe of the D. L. Page company, and had a substantial dinner. After the dinner there was informal speaking back in the hall again.

Comrade Little gave reminiscenses of young Ladd, with whom he worked in the Lowell Machine shop when both enlisted for the front.

Comrades Abbott, Kimball and others also made remarks.

J. E. Conant & Co., say, "The time to buy real estate is when you can get it cheap; the kind to buy is a parcel that will make a profit; the place to buy is where you can combine the above two suggestions viz: cheap and sure to make a profit; that place is within your reach tomorrow afternoon when fifty out of the one hundred and sixty-two lots on the Butman estate are to be sold for just what you are pleased to bid for them." The terms are anything within reason; you can pick or choose any lot you desire; you can get a plan of the lots at the office of the auctioneers.

LOCAL NOTES.

Raymond's jubilee singers gave a concert in Prescott hall last evening.

The last monthly sociable of the Y. W. C. A. was held last evening in its rooms.

The ladies of the Paige street F. W. Baptist church held a sociable last evening.

District Chief Templar A. D. Oxley of Wakefield visited Elrene lodge last evening.

Several new names were added to the membership role of Mt. Olive Senate last evening.

Miss Sarah Laycock's friends called on her at her home on Andover street, Wednesday night and presented her an elegant ring.

A delightful concert was given at the North Chelmsford town hall, last evening under the auspices of the First Congregational church.

The New York Cloak and Suit Co., are forcing down prices as usual on silk waists, shirt waists, separate skirts and outing suits.

Manufacturer's stock of dress skirts, waists, jackets, capes and mackintoshes at 40c. on the dollar, at Chris Holmes' specialty store. See advt.

I. H. Sternberg will officiate as announcer at the Memorial Day sports at the Cricket grounds. Spectators are requested to refrain from throwing bricks or railroad iron at the announcer who will make as much noise as he can.

It is a perfectly natural trait in a well organized and healthy mind to develop a propensity to make and accumulate money. At some the chances are thrust; to others they come after patient search; to all the result is the same, though the paths pursued cover a wide range and a broad scope. Tomorrow afternoon there is a genuine opportunity that will bring together many well informed men from various sources and scattered directions. Their goal is a chance to secure one of the lots at the Butman estate sale. The lots are way out Westford street at the corner of Chelmsford road, the land is of a rolling, sloping, undulating nature, and is very attractive to improve; it has been divided by broad avennes running through and across into a beautiful suburb. You can walk from the electric cars at the corner of Middlesex and Wood streets, to the lots, in less than ten minutes; it is less than a quarter of a mile across to the new state highway or the extension of Princeton street. Do not allow anything to prevent your attending the sale. Suppose the lots sell for one-third their real value, wouldn't you like to secure one for the profit there is in it? Isn't that thrusting wealth at you? Doesn't that touch the spot in your anatomy that best desires to accumulate money?

North Chelmsford—Grand Concert.

A grand concert was given last night at the town hall. A large crowd was present and the concert was highly enjoyed by all. It was given under the management of Mr. Charles E. Hyde and was for the benefit of the organ fund of the Second Congregational church of this village. And quite a nice sum was realized. Among the notables present in the audience were the Rev. S. I. Briant, pastor of the church; Mr. George T. Sheldon of the Chelmsford Foundry Co., Mr. Arthur W. Trubey, principal of the North Chelmsford High school and Col. Royal S. Ripley. Miss Ada M. Woods presided at the piano in a very efficient manner. The program was a long one and embraced some fine talent.

Mr. O'Connor's Motion.

In the legislature yesterday, Mr. O'Connor of this city moved to put Ward five of Lowell from the 6th to the 7th Middlesex district and Chelmsford and Dracut from the 7th to the 6th. Messrs. Putnam and Hayes of Lowell both opposed this.

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PORTER AND BLISS

Two Names Suggested for the Vice Presidency.

PLATT SEEMS TO BE LOSING HIS GRIP.

Cannot Rule the Action of State Delegates.

New York, May 22.—The arrival in this city of William M. Hahn occasioned much speculation yesterday among the Republican managers as to the object of his visit. An incident that occurred at the Fifth Avenue hotel satisfied the politicians that he had come here to have a consultation about the vice presidential nomination.

General Horace Porter, who has been spoken of as McKinley's running-mate on the Republican ticket, entered the hotel and asked for Mr. Hahn. A conference lasting an hour followed, and after General Porter left the hotel, Mr. Hahn started for Canton, O. The crowd of politicians in the state headquarters was sure that Mr. Hahn had made final arrangements with General Porter to take second place on the national ticket. It was asserted by the Platt men, after Mr. Hahn's departure, that the McKinley managers' plans included the nomination of General Porter as vice president and the appointment of Warner Miller as secretary of the treasury, in the event of McKinley's election.

Shortly after the Hahn-Porter conference, another vice presidential boom was launched at the hotel, St. John Gaffney, a McKinley boomer, declared that the choice of the New York McKinleyites for vice president was Cornelius N. Bliss. He said that Mr. Bliss would add strength to the McKinley ticket in the east, and would ensure its election.

The chief reason for the anger of Platt and his followers over Warner Miller's recent interview is their fear of its effect upon state politics. Platt knows as well as does any one else that he cannot now dictate the course of the New York delegation at St. Louis, and that a considerable part of it will refuse to follow him. It is as an omen of the future that the interview has incensed Platt. The leading supporters of McKinley in New York are men who have steadfastly opposed the boss. Some of them at bottom favor McKinley for no other reason than enmity to Platt. At first they seized upon his candidacy as a convenient weapon to fight the boss, and so used it in the state convention. Then, as they saw the increasing sentiment for McKinley in the rank and file of the party, especially in the interior of the state, they recognized in it a means for an attempt to dethrone the boss.

In their view, Platt's opposition to McKinley has gone so far that he and his lieutenants cannot prudently be trusted with the management of the Ohioan's campaign, if he is nominated. They claim that McKinley's managers will intrust it to them; and that, after he takes office, they will distribute the federal patronage in New York. With the McKinley league as a working organization, with the confidence of his managers, and with patronage, they believe they can make a better fight against Platt then they have ever made before, and that his followers will gradually desert him. Miller's interview was sort of a concerted signal for this contest, expedited by the undoubted anger of the strict party men in many parts of the state at Platt's bitter campaign against McKinley. The Platt crowd tries to disguise its apprehensions, but it is plainly uneasy.

A report gained currency in Wall street yesterday to the effect that McKinley will come out in a day or two with an announcement that he is directly in favor of a gold standard. The report found many believers, as an immediate rally in the stock market showed. It is significant that in bank circles certain bankers who have all along expressed their dislike for Major McKinley, and their doubts of his position on the currency question, are talking today more in his favor, and some of them say positively that they have information that McKinley will be a firm advocate of sound money, as the term is understood in the street.

Russell Sage came out for McKinley yesterday, by saying that McKinley is as firmly in favor of a gold standard as he is himself. Mr. Sage said that he had taken pains to ascertain directly and for his own information.

Chauncey M. Depew is quoted as follows on Major McKinley's silence on the currency question: "I differ from some of my friends in regard to the position McKinley has taken. I hold that when a man is once in the field it is right and proper for him to keep quiet and let his record speak for itself. Let him put himself in the hands of his friends, and let them do the talking. It is not a man's friends who want him to talk, but his enemies. His friends know where he stands, and he does not need to speak for their benefit. His enemies only seek to make him talk, that they may trip him up."

Wyoming For Free Silver.

Laramie, Wyo., May 22.—The Democratic state convention was controlled entirely by the free silver element of the party, and adopted a platform of one plank, embodying the most advanced views in favor of that policy.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN

And Child Had a Narrow Escape From Danger.

One of Hanson's big freight wagons while coming down Thorndike street at 11 o'clock this morning, struck a woman who was accompanied by a child. A bystander caught the child pulling it out of harm's way while the woman was knocked down by one of the horses. She was not thought to be seriously injured and the ambulance was not called. Her name could not be ascertained.

When you need printing remember THE SUN.

CUT HIS THROAT

And Wrists in Desperate Attempt to Suicide.

ALBERT MUNSON'S CRAGY DEED THIS MORNING.

He May Recover in St. John's Hospital.

Albert Munson, a Swede, about 35 years, residing at 17 Meadowcroft street, sat down on the floor of one of the rooms in his house, this morning, held a looking glass before him, and then drew a razor across his throat.

Afterwards he slashed his wrists, cutting three gashes in one and two in the other. There was no one in the apartments when he committed the deed. So far as could be learned, Munson has been ill, and this morning Dr. Waller called at the house to attend him. He had the doors locked and refused to admit the physician.

The latter appealed to the minister of the Swedish church who was near by, and the clergyman shouted into Munson that if he did not open the door he would break it in. This did not disturb Munson, so the owner of the house was found and opened the door with his key.

When they entered Munson was sitting on the floor with the razor and looking-glass by his side. The blood poured out of the wounds which were bandaged and the man was sent to St. John's hospital.

He was adjudged insane.

FUNERALS.

MADDOCKS—The funeral of the late Frank Maddocks occurred yesterday afternoon from St. Peter's church and was largely attended by friends and relatives, by whom deceased was held in highest esteem. The services at the church were simple, yet impressive, and were conducted by Rev. Fr. McManus. The music was rendered by a quartet consisting of T. F. Molloy, James A. Murphy, James Donnelly and David P. Martin, assisted by Miss Mabel Ware and Miss Lizzie McLaughlin. The casket was borne by Aubert J. Fay, Thomas A. Golding, Joseph H. Donohoe and James F. Owens. The ushers were Wm. McGrade, Wm Higgins, Mathew McDonald and Robert Campbell. The interment in charge of J. F. O'Donnell was in the Catholic cemetery. Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Spray of roses, Walter Cleworth and sisters; pillow inscribed "Frank," Tom Ramsey and Will Roberts; broken circle, boys of the repair shop, Fay Bros. & Hosford; spray of pinks, Robert Crowley, Jr.; spray of 150 white roses, Fay Bros. & Hosford; spray of pinks, Mrs. M. A. and John Stiles; spray of white roses, Miss Mary Stratford, Boston; spray of roses, Jennie and Misses Taylor; bouquet, Dr. and Mrs. McOwen; bouquet, Miss Owens; spray of roses, Miss Josie Cummiskey; wreath and base inscribed "Friend," from Tommy Golding, pillow inscribed "Son," from his father, George Maddocks; basket, Mr. and Mrs. Lane and Miss Blake; spray of 26 pinks, the Misses Conway; wreath, from Miss Annie McMahon; spray of white pinks, James F. Owens; spray of white pinks, Richard Connell; star and base from ushers of the Opera house; heart, from Mr. and Mrs. John S. Haynes; spray of white pinks, Miss Esther Owens; spray of Jack roses, George Patten; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morrison; spray of pinks, Miss Estelle Monroe; spray of pinks, W. E. Savage.

Have you been into J. E. Conant & Co.'s office after a plan of the Butman building lots yet? Now let me tell you something. Do it. Do it without fail. There are one hundred and sixty-two lots up there. Fifty of these lots are going to be sold. They'll be sold no matter what they bring. There'll be fifty lots change ownership that day; happen what may. You say they are too far out; well, it is not but a few years ago that old Ward four was thought to be way out in the country; now in land that you could have bought then for a quarter of a cent a foot is worth from twenty-five to forty cents a foot; and several families have made a fortune out of it. The chances out at the Butman sale tomorrow afternoon are identical with those.

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TERRELL TALKS

Concerning Certain Statements of His Action.

HE CLAIMS TO HAVE DONE HIS DUTY.

And Knows No Cause of Complaint.

Washington, May 22.—Mr. Terrell, our minister to Turkey, in reply to queries regarding an article in which it was stated that William E. Dodge and others, with Rev. H. O. Dwight of Constantinople, had asked his removal from the post of minister to Turkey, said:

"I am averse to newspaper interviews, but necessity knows no law. I am reliably informed that Rev. H. O. Dwight recently addressed certain gentlemen representing the various educational and mission enterprises in Turkey, after which they organized what they styled a "defense committee," composed of laymen, and which should thereafter be the medium of communication between those foreign missions and our government. It is composed of William E. Dodge, Darwin R. James, Everett P. Wheeler and perhaps others. I am also informed that Mr. Dwight met that committee and presented his views of Turkish affairs. I was not present, do not know what he said, nor do I know personally any of that committee."

"Did the committee ask for your removal?" was asked.

"They came to Washington, but their high character forbids the idea that they should have made such a request on any ex parte information against a gentleman whom they did not know, and who did not know them. They filed no charges."

"Perhaps Mr. Dwight desired your removal?"

"It seems incredible, for Mr. Dwight has more than once expressed through the press, and in letters to me, the highest appreciation of my diplomatic efforts. No charges have been filed against me. I am here, absent from an afflicted family, but would not need 10 minutes' preparation to answer before any authorized tribunal any charge affecting my personal or official action. The charges against me will be attended to when I can unearth a responsible assailant. I have written to William E. Dodge to know if he is responsible for them, and await his answer.

"Missionaries at every post in Asia Minor (save one) have expressed to me their gratitude for life and rights protected. That post is occupied by a missionary teacher who refuses to swear to support the constitution of his country, because he cannot find God in it. I had him also protected by a guard. Once when requested by the Ottoman government to export that man, I answered that I came to protect my countrymen, not to expel them."

"Had you heard of any opposition to your diplomatic course?"

"Oh, yes, but that was two years ago. Certain newspapers assailed me for dining often with the sultan and for not protecting Americans. The last charge was known to be utterly false, and the first so idiotic that I disregarded it. I went to preserve peaceful relations between nations and to protect our people. Whatever men may think of the Sultan of Turkey, he is an intellectual and courteous sovereign, whose courtesies I accepted, and I have never felt called on to destroy my influence by accusing him as the author of atrocities. He has protected American missionaries whenever requested during a period of fearful trial as promptly as any Christian monarch in Europe could."

ROYAL ARCANUM

Honors Its Grand Regent at Its Quarters.

Lowell Council Royal Arcanum did honor last evening to Grand Regent Albert W. David who has been chosen to the highest office in the state.

With the grand regent was Grand Orator Walsh and W. N. Swain of Boston and delegates were present from Highland, North Billerica and Lawrence councils.

In the regular council meeting one candidate was initiated and Mr. David and others made brief speeches. Then followed a spread in the banquet hall and later several clever vaudeville artists from the Savoy entertained the gathering. The occasion was one long to be remembered by Mr. David and his friends.

FELL FROM A ROOF.

Joseph Lennon Had a Miraculous Escape From Death But Didn't Escape Officer John Fox.

Joseph Lennon, but recently out of Bridgewater, it is said, is a lucky man for he had a wonderful escape from a broken neck last evening.

On the Fenwick street hill are two three story houses but a few feet apart though built on different plans. In an attic of one of these houses there reside a number of Portuguese, there being in the room beside, four nice new trunks probably containing the savings of these Portuguese. About 6 o'clock last evening Lennon, who was quite drunk, climbed to one of the roofs and attempted to get across to the other building. Officer John Fox believing with a view to examing these trunks. Joseph, during his mid-air performance made a misstep and came down three stories striking the bricks quite hard. Officer Fox called the ambulance and Lennon was taken to the hospital where it was found that he was all right though very unruly and he was returned to the station. Later Officer Fox arrested Ben Black for drunkenness and another young man on suspicion.

DEATHS.

RICHARDSON—Benjamin F. Richardson, a former resident of Lowell, died in Holyoke last week.

BRADLEY—Mrs. Julia E. Bradley died at Woodstock, Vt., May 20, aged 64 years. Three sisters survive her, Mrs. Caroline H. Flanders and Mrs. Harriet A. Rogers of this city and Mrs. Mary F. Woodford of Boston.

FLETCHER—Geneva Fletcher died yesterday at the residence of her uncle, R. C. Lord, 77 Billings street, aged 21 years. Besides her uncle, with whom she has lived since childhood, she leaves a sister.

WANT A NEW LINE

Of Street Railroad on Beech Street, Centralville.

MANY PETITIONES APPEAR BEFORE STREET COMMITTEE.

Other Matters of Importance Considered.

A Centralville petition occupied the attention of the committee on streets for the greater part of last evening. Beech street residents and others in that neighborhood would like to see the street extended through the Parker estate, which is located at the northern end, so that the Street Railway company could run a track through there. Among the petitioners were F. N. Weir, Fisher H. Pearson, E. T. Rowell, Prentiss Webster, Mr. Young, W. F. McKenna, John McGuirk, George E. Putnam, James F. Savage. They all claimed that the property in the street will be increased in value and naturally there will be increased revenue from taxation sufficient to recover the expense of the extension.

The remonstrants could see in this movement only a scheme to assist the railroad and failed to see how their property would be benefited.

Among the property owners who believed that their interests would not be benefited by the scheme were Mrs. Louisa J. Calef, represented by Lawyer Hamblett, Mr. Nathan Lamson, Mr. Goss, and Frederick Baily. These remonstrants appeared against the extension at First street only. James Stuart Murphy thought it a needless expense.

John Quirk asked that Kidder street from Crosby to Gorham streets be accepted.

George A. Coburn wanted Albert street laid out; also Victoria street and the lines defined.

Oliver M. Haines asked that Upham street be laid out.

F. P. Folsom and others signed a petition to have edge stones placed in the south side of Shaw street.

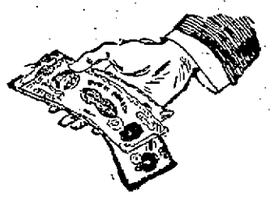
Fisher H. Pearson asked that Wood street, between Middlesex and Westford streets, be straightened and its lines defined.

Arthur E. Silcox wanted Dunfey street in Pawtucketville accepted.

B. D. O'Connell and Councilman Webster appeared as petitioners to have Music hall avenue made a street and accepted by by the city as such. Those opposed were C. E. Poore, Col. Francis and M. L. Hamblett.

A petition was read asking that Chelmsford street at the boundary line be widened.

A most delightful and artistic concert was that given in Associate hall last evening by Miss Gaselchap, the noted pianiste, and Mr. Fritz Giese, the 'cellist. A large and fashionable audience attended.



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Sale of boys' suits today at Merrimack Clothing Co., opp. City hall. $5 worth for $3.

MONEY DEPOSITED.

Money deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at 30 Middlesex street and 11 Post Office avenue before 4 p. m. Wednesday, June 3, will draw interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from June 1st. Interest may be withdrawn or will be added to the principal on the first days of July and January. Bank open from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. WILLIAM F. HILLS, Cashier.

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The administrators on John Stetson's estate should advertise for all his remaining wives. Such an advertisement would probably bring dozens of claimants.

SENATORIAL PROSPECTS.

That piece of trickery by which Rep. Roper ruled A. G. Walsh out of the senatorial contest in the seventh Middlesex district, is worthy of A.P.A. politics.

Roper is the A. P. A. candidate for senator; Walsh is not a representative of that insidious order.

The latter was a candidate against Foss and was beaten by a small majority at the caucuses.

That put him in line for a future occasion, but under the gerrymander, as dictated by Roper, Mr. Walsh was left outside and he cannot, therefore, be a candidate in the Lowell senatorial district this year.

Roper and Putnam will have the contest to themselves, but they will have to reckon with Senator Pearson also, who will probably run, despite the majority against him.

If Mr. Walsh becomes a candidate he will have to face Senator Burns of Ayer who has a big hold on the outlying towns.

This little episode will serve to widen the chasm that exists between the genuine republicans and the A. P. A. element in Lowell politics. The struggle becomes more bitter as it proceeds.

GETTING INTO A HOLE.

Mayo Courtney said at a meeting of the bath committee that somebody is urging on this bath project for the purpose of "putting him in a hole." We surmise that he would not get into much of a hole if he would meet the wants of the people as much as he possibly can. He would not get into a hole by urging the appointment of an inspector of wires; but he will get into a hole and a very deep hole if he favors the purchase of the M. M. A. pictures, which the people don't want, while refusing public baths, which the people do want.

It is hardly fair for His Honor to assume that when the voice of the people is heard through the press and otherwise pleading for a public improvement such as free public baths, it is all but a movement "to put him in a hole." The masses who want public baths never considered His Honor in the matter until he said it would put him in a hole. The people are not considering his case, but their own, and his getting into a hole or out of a hole is not a sufficient reason for casting aside the public bath project when it becomes financially feasible. Did it ever occur to His Honor that the members of the bankrupt society who prevailed upon him to recommend the purchase of those portraits were really putting him in a hole in order to pull the society out of a hole.

THE REPUBLICAN HOUSE.

The present house of representatives of the great and general court is decidedly the most unscrupulous body that ever filled that chamber.

Not content with giving Boston a state police commission, it favors taking away from the representatives of that city the power of granting theatre licenses.

The house would put this power in the hands of the police commission just as if that body had not too much power already.

The extremely partisan element in the house has no scruples in taking from Boston the right to home rule. That body of fledgling legislators would deprive a city or even half the state of its political rights without the slightest compunction.

Judging from the onslaughts upon the rights of cities and the various gerrymanders throughout the state, it would seem that the work of the statesman has now been taken up by political Philistines.

But for the senate the legislation that would be placed upon the statute books would disgrace a lot of tinkers' apprentices.

There are some good men in that house but they are overruled on every question by the political free booters with whom nothing is sacred, and in whose eyes the greatest crime is justified if it can be dignified by the name of law.

HILL CALLED DOWN.

For Attempting to Obstruct Business in the Senate.

Washington, May 22.—The senate had an hour of much excitement, with a report to obstructive tactics and several heated personal controversies yesterday. The early portion of the session had been given to the routine of agreeing on conference reports on appropriation bills. At 5 o'clock, Mr. Butler (Pop., N. C.) moved to take up his bill prohibiting the further issue of interest bearing bonds. Mr. Hill immediately moved an adjournment, securing a yea and nay vote, in order to gain time. The motion to adjourn was defeated, whereupon Mr. Chandler followed with a motion for an executive session. For an hour, rollcalls and calls of the senate followed in quick succession. As a further means of delay, Mr. Hill secured the reading of a lengthy conference report which had been presented, and Mr. Chandler secured the reading of several long routine documents sent over from the house. Irritated by these delays, Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.) accused Mr. Hill of a lack of good faith, to which the New York senator angrily retorted that Mr. Allen's statement was false. The colloquy was brief, but was very sharp and full of feeling. At 6:15, the sergeant-at-arms was directed to go for absent senators. Before this could be executed, however, Mr. Butler yielded for the night.

Weary of Exile.

Milwaukee, May 22.—President G. C. Trumpf of the South Side Savings bank, who fled to Europe, three years ago, when his bank failed, with $1,126,000 liabilities and no assets, appeared in court yesterday and surrendered himself. Bail was fixed at $75,000, which was furnished. He will be tried on the indictment charging him with accepting money, knowing the bank to be insolvent. Cashier Koettling was convicted on this charge, and sent to prison for five years.

Assault and Battery Only.

Boston, May 22. — Francis Sullivan was tried yesterday on the charge of manslaughter, for the alleged killing of his father, John J. Sullivan, in a drunken fight at their home on April 11. The case was taken from the jury, and Sullivan, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery, receiving a sentence of two years in the house of correction.

Kruger Not to Blame.

Pretoria, May 22.—The revised sentences of the reform prisoners have been unfavorably received. It is declared by a most independent and trustworthy authority that President Kruger persistently urged that all the sentences to imprisonment should be replaced by fines. For three days he pressed this view, but he was overcome by a majority of the executive council. It is felt that the Transvaal government has lost a great opportunity for a reconciliation, and there is a strong feeling in favor of the reconsideration of the decision as to the sentences. The fate of the four leaders, Rhodes, Phillips, Hammond and Farrar, whose sentences were provisionally commuted to 15 years' imprisonment, will be announced on Monday.

Won't Stand the Boycott.

Milwaukee, May 22. — The business men have revolted against the boycott incident to the street railway strike. The commission merchants yesterday unitedly took the initiative in the movement by issuing a manifesto, saying that while expressing no opinion as to the differences between the street railway company and its former employes, they emphatically assert their right and that of their families, employes and patrons to transact business with such persons, and to patronize such public and private conveyances as may suit their conveniences, "and hereby give notice that we shall defend our rights in these matters by all lawful means."

Vermont Odd Fellows.

Rutland, Vt., May 22. — The grand lodge, I. O. O. F., session yesterday was devoted to subordinate lodges, called up by their representatives on presentation of lodge reports. The subordinate lodges were found to be in flourishing condition. The support of the Gill Odd Fellows' home was provided for by a tax on each member of a subordinate lodge. In this way between $4500 and $5000 will be raised. H. L. Parker of Lyndonville was elected grand master. Standing committees were appointed, and after concluding routine matters the lodge adjourned.

Says He Saw Maud Williams.

Montreal, May 22.—There is a man in Montreal who is willing to swear that Maud C. Williams, the missing heiress, was in Montreal about April 10—he is not quite sure of the exact day—and that he has seen her. The man is Lois Briere, a porter of the Stanley hotel. Briere says she came with a man who was of medium height, and wore a tall hat. Briere expresses the opinion that the girl is hidden away here, and the detectives have offered him $100 to find her.

The Tuckers in Gotham.

New York, May 22. — Commander Tucker and his wife returned to this city last night from San Francisco. Commander and Mrs. Booth will address a meeting at Cincinnati on May 31. June 1 and 2 will be spent in Cleveland, and on June 5 the couple will address a meeting in Boston. The next day they will speak at New Bedford, Mass., from which point they will return to this city. Herbert Booth will be in this city June 14, when he will be given a welcome at the Fourteenth street headquarters.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at the office of the City Messenger, City Hall, until 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, May 27, for the masonry work and construction of a rifle range, situated in Dracut. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, H. P. Graves, Glidden Building, Middlesex street.

The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

CHARLES E. HOWE,
Chairman Military Committee.

THE WAY OUT OF IT.

A Breach of Promise Case and an Alleged Friend In Need.

Dick—Hello, old man! You're just the fellow I want to see. I'm in a deuce of a scrape.

Jack—You don't say! What's the trouble?

Dick—Well, of course, what I am to tell you must be considered strictly confidential?

Jack—Certainly!

Dick—Well, you remember several weeks ago, when I first met Miss Foxyton—we were up to call one evening?

Jack—Yes.

Dick—Well, she swears she'll sue me for breach of promise.

Jack—By Jove, that's too bad! What are you going to do about it?

Dick—That's just it. I know you were better acquainted with the girl than I and thought you could advise me in the matter. Now, what would you do if you were placed in my position?

Jack—Do the same as I did when she threatened to sue me on the same ground.

Dick—Good heavens! Did she threaten you?

Jack—Yes.

Dick—Then she can't be in earnest?

Jack—But I think she is.

Dick—Well, how did you settle the matter with her?

Jack—I told her calmly that a breach of promise suit was most undesirable for both of us. It would cause notoriety and no end of comment, and if it could be settled otherwise it was unquestionably the better thing to do. I also informed her that I was not in a position to marry, but I would do all I could to promulgate her cause in a quiet way, and she agreed to it. Now, why don't you try that scheme? It might work.

Dick—I certainly shall. What did you do?

Jack—I introduced her to a friend of mine.

Dick—Good idea! You are certainly a man of inexhaustible resources. Oh, by the way, who did you introduce to her?

Jack—You.—Truth.

The Music of the Boom.

Since first the morning stars did sing
Together ne'er was made
Such music, thinks a candidate
Whose pipes have been well laid,
The voice of love when love and life
Are in their early bloom
Is but a penny whistle to
The music of the boom.

"When music, heavenly maid, was young,"
E'er man had caught the sound
That comes to him who listens now
With ear close to the ground,
Earth must have been a dreary place,
No better than a tomb,
He thinks today while drinking in
The music of his boom.

Hope tells to him a flattering tale
And fools him to his tent.
He sees all signs and portents point
To him as president.
Now, in his mind, with portals wide
He sees the White House loom,
And gayly marches toward it to
The music of his boom.

But while he listens, lo, 'tis lost!
What mean those waves of sound
That rise above his boom, wherein
It dwindles and is drowned?
His heart is filled with bitterness,
His eyes are filled with rheum,
What time he hears the booming of
Some other fellow's boom.

Still, in his mind, he'll hear his own
Make music, growing slow
And faint and faraway as time
Goes tearing on. But, oh,
The silence it will seem as loud
As would the crack of doom
When autumn's mournful breezes bring
No echo of his boom.

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Moscow, May 22.—There was little or no sleep Thursday night for the majority of those privileged to witness the state entry of the czar and czarina into the city of Moscow. Throngs of people remained in the streets all night viewing the decorations. The promenaders included all sorts and conditions of people, and hundreds slept or sat all night in the adjoining boulevards. In nearly all the thoroughfares there was a ceaseless stream of droschkies, and a small army of men were employed with wooden shovels, rakes or brooms spreading a layer of sand over the route to be followed by the procession.

At 3 o'clock the day dawned, and soon the sun shone over the long, straight vista of the beflagged route to the city triumphal arch marking the city bounds. Out beyond the archway, the human tide began flowing in the direction of the Petrovski park, and at 7 o'clock there was an unbroken line on both sides of the entire route three miles long. Every moment the stream of moujiks and townsfolk in holiday attire increased in volume, and at 10 o'clock there was no sign of the strong military force which was to guard the route. Here and there a policeman was to be seen; but a more patient or more orderly crowd it is impossible to imagine. Every available place was occupied, and side streets were blocked with people standing on boxes, chairs, tables or ladders. There was not the least pushing, scrambling or shouting.

The moujiks, who had discarded their winter sheepskins, were uniformly dressed in long, black coats, and wore broad, flat, black, peaked caps. They were to be found everywhere in the front line, and the crowds behind them were composed of mingled town and country people of both sexes, the women mostly wearing headgear of white or colored handkerchiefs tied under the chin.

Mingled with the throngs were also to be seen pilgrims with staves in their hands, bundles on their backs and wearing sandals on their feet. The background was embowered with flags, evergreens, trophies and elaborate arrangements of lamps. The open windows were packed with householders and their families, all in summer costumes.

At noon the troops began to line the streets, and a constant series of diversions was offered by their passage.

The departure of the court officials and officers, princes and others, served to entertain the crowds, and those who were favorites with the masses were heartily cheered. While waiting for the starting procession brushes were passed among the soldiers, and they carefully removed the dust from their uniforms and shoes. The ladies at the windows or on the balconies beguiled the time by smoking cigarets.

At the Travtnoi convent and other religious institutions, sacred images, relics and crosses were brought out by the priests and nuns. The former, with their long hair and beards and gold embroidered vestments attracted much attention, and the crowd, with one accord, made the sign of the cross when they appeared.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock a few drops of rain fell, but the clouds were soon dispelled by bright sunshine. At 1 p. m., Grand Duke Vladimir, followed by a brilliant suite, traversed the route and, in accordance with Russian military custom, saluted each regiment.

Nothing was lacking to the impressive effect of the procession to the Kremlin, the cortege thus unfolding to the wondering multitudes being majestic and complete in its beauty as well as its magnificence, and embodying every element of impartial splendor. Traversing the streets of holy Moscow, it was seen to the utmost possible advantage. The long array of state carriages, with their princely escorts, the gallant cavalry and all of the appendages of a great imperial court, with the emblems of power and greatness of historic throne, had there a picturesque and appropriate setting.

The famous Cossack Guards made a brave show, with their long red coats, Astrakahan caps and long scimitar-shaped swords, and they claimed a special share of the popular attention.

The Asiatic and other wild races represented in the procession attracted almost as much attention as the czar and czarina. They included Khivans, Eskimos, Finlanders, Poles, Laplanders, Cossacks, Circassians, Georgians, Tartars, Karapapaks, Bashkirs, Teherkesses, Eaghistanis, Kurds, Chinese, Armenians and others, all in a rich variety of picturesque costumes, distinguished by a variety of infinite colors. These people rode behind the advance guard of police of Cossacks of the guard.

Another striking group was one composed of the servants of the imperial household. They numbered about 60 persons, and wore plumed hats and the richest of court liveries.

The court musicians and the huntsmen also found great favor with the masses; but, the whole procession was so briefly arranged that each group as it passed seemed to eclipse the preceding group by its picturesqueness and brilliancy.

The czar, czarina and dowager czarina were, of course, the central figures of the pageant, and their appearance evoked thunders of applause, which the czar acknowledged with military salutes, and the empress by bowing graciously on either side.

The music of the military bands, the clanging of the innumerable bells from the many hundreds of churches of the ancient capital, and the cheering of the masses all contributed to swell the enthusiasm which was evoked by the grandiose, impressive spectacle.

A splendid effect was produced by the lines of magnificent vehicles in the procession, and the whole affair passed off almost without a hitch. The immense crowds of people present behaved in an exemplary manner, and the police had little or nothing to do, so thoroughly were the people impressed with the solemnity of the occasion, beyond attending to their ordinary duties when large crowds of people gather together.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Andrew Carnegie says a gold standard means prosperity.

Turkey paid $150,000 in settlement of the Jiddah outrages.

The sealing schooner May Belle, from Victoria, is probably lost.

Thousands of acres of grain were ruined by floods in Illinois.

There are 93 heirs under the will of the late Admiral Joseph Smith.

The steamship line from Japan to New York will increase its capital stock.

Mme. Clara Schumann, the famous pianist, died at Frankfort-on-the-Main.

Hamlin E. Hadley, charged with larceny of a mileage book, was fined $31 at Concord, N. H.

Martha Spencer, aged 60 years, committed suicide at Willimantic, Conn., by strangling herself.

Mrs. Etta A. Killham of Lynn, Mass., pleaded guilty to the charge of kidnapping Cella Leonard.

The supreme council of the Royal Arcanum accepted an invitation to meet next year in Boston.

State Master Bachelder of the New Hampshire Grange has appointed June 13 as children's day.

James Dewitt was hanged at Grayson, Ky., in the presence of over 5000 people, for the murder of his wife.

The United States has not protested against Weyler's edict prohibiting the export of tobacco from Cuba.

The shoe firm of Lewis Gross & Co. of Amesbury, Mass., will move their plant to Milton Mills, N. H.

The Seaboard Air line is accused of padding the mails, to secure extra compensation from the government.

Congressman Ashley B. Wright of North Adams, Mass., announces that he will be a candidate for re-election.

James Thompson has presented the Congregational church at Hooksett, N. H., with a new bell, valued at $350.

The Orange Free State volksraad has rejected the convention with Cape Colony for the construction of branch railroads.

Work has begun at Provincetown, Mass., on the new life saving station to be built at Wood End, near the lighthouse.

Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn bridge will own the new electrical equipments, on which $100,000 will be expended.

The dedication services at the new high school at Medford, Mass., were quite elaborate, and the building was formally opened.

Grand Duke George of Russia (the czarowitch) arrived at Naples, and proceeded to Castellamare, where he will remain for a few days.

Enoch J. Child, aged 71 years, tried to strangle himself with a blanket at Marlboro, Mass., and almost succeeded. He has been mentally sick.

Schooner Lewis Jane, with coal, grounded at the entrance to Chatham (Mass.) harbor, and has pounded quite badly. She is full of water.

Charles Brainard, aged 60, overseer of the Pomenah mills at Taftville, Conn., was instantly killed by being struck by a freight car in the millyard.

H. G. Nicholas of Boston, manager of the Dwight cotton mills at Gadsden, Tenn., was seriously, if not fatally, injured by scaffolding giving way.

At the state encampment of the Wisconsin G. A. R., a resolution condemning the assault of President Eliot of Harvard on the G. A. R. was unanimously adopted.

Nathaniel H. Emery, instructor in mathematics and rhetoric at the New Hampshire conference seminary at Tilton, has accepted a similar position at the Lehigh university, Pennsylvania.

Ebenezer Nelson, senior editorial writer of the Boston Transcript, who had been connected with the paper in various capacities for 44 years, died suddenly at Cambridge, Mass., from a stroke of paralysis. He was born in Plymouth, Mass., in 1824.

Concerning Seal Extermination.

London, May 22.—George N. Curzon, in the house of commons, yesterday, said that with the co-operation of Canada and the United States, two professors of natural history will shortly proceed to the Behring sea, in order to study the fur sealing industry. The regulations for sealing in British Columbia, he said, were, in some respects contrary to the recommendations of the British commissioners. Steps, he continued, were being taken to inquire into the working and adequacy of the regulations, with the co-operation of Canada, owing to the repeated representations of the United States in regard to the inadequacy of the present regulations for the proper protection of the seals.

Not Satisfactory to England.

London, May 22. — Mr. Chamberlain presided last night at the South African annual dinner. He expressed his regret at the small progress which had been made toward the reconciliation of the Dutch and English in South Africa. He said he could not regard the sentences finally fixed upon the reform prisoners as satisfactory. He had always regarded President Kruger as the last man to be animated by vindictiveness toward the men, who, though they had erred grievously, had still created the prosperity of the Transvaal. The policy of the British government, he said, would not be changed. They were strictly fulfilling their legal obligations, and they would maintain their legal rights.

Anticipate a Cutdown.

Philadelphia, May 22.—One hundred and thirty-five girls employed at Powell Bros.' hosiery mill, this city, struck yesterday, because they thought their employers intended to reduce their wages. The girls say they have had their wages reduced twice within 12 months, and were afraid of a still further reduction. The representatives of the firm refuse to discuss the trouble.

First Rain Since March.

New Haven, May 22.—The protracted drought, which had threatened incalculable loss to the crops throughout the state, was broken yesterday by the first rainstorm which occurred since March. The weather bureau recorded a precipitation of one-half inch throughout the state.

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WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Of Post 120 Held Memorial Exercies Last Evening.

The Woman's Relief Corps had the annual memorial service to their deceased members in Post 120, G. A. R., last evening.

The hall was decorated with flags and flowers, with a profusion of green, and the vacant chair was conspicuous in colors.

The exercises began with a prayer by the chaplain, Mrs. Alecta Titcomb, and after a piano solo by William J. Cowdry, Mrs. M. E. Offutt, the president, made an address. Mrs. Annie E. Tuttle, the first president of the corps, read the list of the deceased who were members and delivered a brief memorial to each. The names of these as read were: Mrs. Ellen Rollins, Mrs. Martha J. Butler, Miss G. Maria Robbins, Miss Dottie A. Mansfield, Miss Mary A. Lang, Mrs. Margaret Gilman, Mrs. Lucy A. Smiley, Mrs. Ada E. Cilley, Mrs. Mary C. Pike, Mrs. Eliza J. Hall, Mrs. Cora F. Dobbins, Mrs. Sarah P. Cook, Mrs. Nancy E. Fifield, Mrs. Mary A. Daniels, Mrs. Jane L. Urann and Mrs. Rubamah L. Kennedy.

The exercises closed with "America."

The committee on arrangements was Mrs. G. W. Whitney, Mrs. A. M. Blaisdell, Mrs. Frank Blood, Mrs. Melvin Blood and Mrs. Alexander Hastings.

THE HOWAHYA BOYS.

Vesper Minstrels Entertained at Tyng's Island.

The mirth and music of the Alebasta minstrels and Howahya were revived at Tyng's Island last night when the Vesper club entertained the men who took part in the recent successful performances at the Opera house.

The party left the boat house on the steamer at 6.30 o'clock. On arrival at the island the D. L. Page Co. served a first rate supper, and then came a second edition of the minstrel show with impromptu and revised additions. The return trip to Lowell was made soon after 10 o'clock. A. G. Swapp, J. Thorpe and Julian Keyes were the committee of arrangements.

Bartholomew In Court.

Fall River, Mass. May 22.—John Bartholomew, charged with forgery, waived examination yesterday, and was held in $2000 bonds. It has developed that Bartholomew is well known to the police, through having, it is alleged, thrown himself in front of an engine in order that he might get the amount of accident insurance which he carried. His claim was disallowed.

Choked Off.

Madrid, May 22.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday, Senor Gasset made a motion requesting the Spanish government to protest against the language used in the United States senate with reference to Spanish institutions. The president of the chamber, however, refused to permit a debate on the subject.

Alleged Firebug Held.

Fall River, Mass. May 22.—Daniel Sullivan, who was arrested here on a charge of having set fire to a tenement house, was brought before Justice McDonald yesterday, and held under $10,000 bail for a hearing next Tuesday. Sullivan pleaded not guilty to the charge of arson.

Captain Brewer Exonerated.

Bridgeton, N. J., May 22.—Captain John L. Brewer, ex-champion wing shot of the world, charged with obtaining $600 by false pretences from John McPherson, and removing from the state goods on which McPherson held a chattel mortgage, was acquitted. The trial lasted nearly a week.

Buildings Wrecked by Gas.

Coffeyville, Kan., May 22.—A gas explosion wrecked two brick buildings in the center of the city, causing the instant death of David Carter, the fatal injury of Matthew Atkinson and Eliza Finsley, and the wounding, more or less seriously, of 13 others.

Held on Murder Charge.

Durham, Conn., May 22.—Clarence E. Murphy, charged with the murder of his mother, during a drunken quarrel, was held without bail for the September term of the superior criminal court, in Middletown.

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Of Yesterday.

WALL COLLAPSED

Twenty People Buried in Ruins at Buffalo.

MANY FATALLY INJURED WERE TAKEN OUT.

Terrible Accident in Four Story Building.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 21.—The old Brown block, a four story brick building at the corner of Main and Seneca streets, formerly occupied by the Western Union Telegraph Co., collapsed at 9.30 o'clock this morning, and fire started immediately after in the ruins.

It is supposed that three men between 15 and 20 were in the building at the time and it is feared that most of them have been killed.

On the lower floor is a barber shop which was well filled at the time.

A portion of the building is being reconstructed and was held up by braces, the foundation gave away pulling down the entire front wall and the remainder of the building.

An alarm was rung in and the firemen and ambulances responded promptly.

A search of the ruins was begun without loss of time and two men were taken out.

One of them, George Metz, died a few minutes later. Michal O'Brien, a carpenter, suffered with a broken back and will die. Jennie Gribbens, book-keeper in the barber shop, is among the missing, and it is thought she is dead.

The others taken out badly injured were John Langdon, Daniel Pickman, George Murphy and William Alexander, all of whom were in the barber shop.

One unknown man was found buried under a beam. His death is expected very soon.

A gang of 75 men went to work on the ruins this afternoon.

The smaller brick buildings adjoining, were demolished by the fall of the building.

FINALLY PUT ON SHELF

THE BUTLER STATUE RESOLVE IS DEFEATED

By Reference to the Next Legislature by a Vote of 89 to 86.

Boston, May 21.—The house today voted 89 to 86 to refer to the next legislature the question of the proposed Butler statue.

LOWELL BOY FINED.

They Were Dime Novel Struck and Committed Larcencies.

Nashua, N. H., May 21.—Charles Hooper and Wallace Brigham, the two Lowell youths brought here by Pelham farmers for stealing, were let off with light fines in court today. The two boys had been reading dime novels and were camping out. They intended to live on wild beasts and bathe in the blood of the Pelham Indians.

MURDER AT ST. JOHNSBURY.

Marshall Way Killed His Wife in a Quarrel Over a Child.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 21.—The village of Wheelock was the scene of a murder last night Marshall Way killing his wife over the possession of their minor child.

He struck her over the head with a club and gave her two other blows while she lay unconscious on the floor. He was arrested and locked up.

HAND CAR ACCIDENT.

A Man Fatally Injured at North Adams by Being Run Over.

North Adams, May 21.—John Tonney, aged 31, a section hand in the Boston & Albany, fell backwards from a hand car this morning and was run over by another which was behind. His back was broken and he will die.

INSANE FATHER'S ACT.

Brutally Cuses His Infant Child and Then Attempts Suicide.

Lewiston, Me., May 24.—Joseph Holt a manufacturer of Mechanic's Falls, cut the throat of his one year old child this morning with a carving knife and then attempted his own life. The child is dead and the father dying. He was insane.

Police Court—Hadley, J.

Seven drunks. Three released.

Fred Vallory, William Mead, Arthur Countemarche and Mathew Lynch, all small boys, were charged with breaking and entering a variety store in Davis street by breaking the window glass and stealing cigarettes, base balls and other small articles. They were continued in $100 until Friday.

Edward J. O'Neil for stealing a watch was fined $20.

Marriage Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded today:

Charles C. Ladamme, Christine McMahon; Narcisse Ayette, Georgiana Desmarais (nee Emard); Josephine Cotenoir, Olida Goulet; James H. Jackson, Amy De Merchant; Lenon Lobillard, Rosanna Foucher; Cornelius McCabe, Mary A. Keefe (nee Sullivan.

Local Notes.

William S. Wells has presented to Dahlgren association, Naval Veterans, two pictures of the steam frigate, New Ironsides.

The Merrill Blues defeated the Young Merrimacks by a score of 21 to 7. The game was well played by both sides after the third inning. From the first to the third inning the score was 7 to 1 in favor of the Young Merrimacks, after that they played a very loose game and that is what gave the game to the (young) Merrill Blues. The team is made up as follows: P. Scanlon c, E. Dignan p, T. Poole 1b, J. Casey 2b, C. Provencher 3b, T. Fitzgerald ss, W. Manchester rf, H. Gallagher lf, D. Dillworth cf. We would like to hear from any nine under 13 years. Send all challenges to J. Casey, 27 Rogers street.

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One case of Misses' Swiss Ribbed Vests, sizes 1 to 4, usually sold at 19c. for this sale

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One case of Misses' Swiss Vests, low necks and no sleeves, regular 25c. goods, for this sale,

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With daily matinees. A benefit will be tendered to the attaches of Music Hall.
A GRAND LIST OF
VAUDEVILLE STARS
Have been engaged, headed by the famous
JOE OTT
And his brother PHIL OTT of Dandler and Star Gazer fame. Don't miss this show, it will be the best Vaudeville performance ever given in Lowell at any price.

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LAKEVIEW PARK
A SUMMER PARADISE,
NATURE'S HOME and BEAUTY'S BOWER.
Only 5 miles from Lowell on the Lowell-Nashua road.
The Season will begin
Saturday, May 23d
Two Large Steamers, one of which but recently built, will convey visitors to all parts of Lake Mascuppic.
Swings, Merry-go-rounds, Fishing, Boating, Shady Nooks, Rugged Rocks, Etc.
By an elaborate System of Electric Lighting it is always day at Lakeview.
All the buildings have been renewed, repainted and newly fitted up.
Bowlers will find the best alleys in the state. They have been put in condition by Dinsmore.
Joe Hibbard and his orchestra will furnish music for the dancers.
An Italian chef presides over the products of the Lakeview kitchen, which has no equal in New England.
Cars Leave Square Every 15 Min.
Fare 5 Cents.

That excellent remedy doing away with that incommodating perspiration of the feet and thereby causing in most cases a bad smell, is giving first class satisfaction. Every apothecary sells it. Call for it. The Magic Powder Co., 480 Merrimack Street.

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We are exhibiting the finest line of Straw Hats ever brought into Lowell. Light Weight Underwear, Hosiery, Summer Neckwear, Negligee Shirts to please the most fastidious.
ARTHUR J. CUMMISKEY,
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GET READY FOR HOT WEATHER
Make your own Root Beer.
A 15c. bottle of our Dandelion Root Beer Extract makes 5 gallons of a delicious home drink at a cost of about
35 Cents.
You can afford it. It is healthful too. No trouble to make it.
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The Largest Day's Sales Saturday Ever Recorded

BEYOND ALL EXPECTATIONS WAS THE SUCCESS OF THE STROUSE & BROS. SALE

HIGHEST GRADE CLOTHING

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ACCEPT OUR CASH OFFER FOR THEIR FINE SUIT STOCK

TELEGRAM TO TALBOT & CO.

Will Accept Your Offer to Introduce Goods. It is a Sacrifice. STROUSE & BROS.

CARD

We wish to thank the people who so patiently waited for salesmen during the great rush Saturday. We did not realize there would be quite so large a response although we knew such values in fine goods would surely be appreciated. So many good suits at $12.50 and $15 make good friends for us from all thinking men.

HIGH ART CLOTHNG at Popular Prices.

Extra Salesmen wanted for next Saturday.—None but experienced men need apply.

Permanent Saturday position for good men.

LOT ONE.

The most beautiful Worsted Covert Cloth Suit, cut in sack style, finely lined and made in Strouse & Bros.' best style. Worth $28 a suit, we shall sell at

$15 a Suit

LOT TWO.

An exquisite Gray Hair Line Worsted Sack Suit, never should be sold less than $25. We offer to our customers at

$15 a Suit

LOT THREE.

A small lot of fine imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, sack style, worth $25, we shall sell at

$15 a Suit

LOT FOUR.

Fine imported Bluish Slate Worsted, sacks only, made only to sell at $25. We offer at

$15 a Suit

LOT FIVE.

Beautiful Imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, made as only Strouse & Bros. can make their best goods. Wholesale price was 50 per cent. more than we offer the suit to you at

$12.50 a Suit

LOT SIX.

Men's Sack Suits in a fine Dark colored Double Clay Weaves, lined elegantly, made to sell at $25. We shall sell at

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LOT SEVEN.

Gentlemen's Stylish Sack Suits, a very fine imported fancy worsted in a brownish check, made patch pocket, sack lined in the best manner, and should retail readily at Strouse & Bros.' jobbing price, $19 a suit. We shall sell for

$12.50 a Suit

LOT EIGHT.

32 best imported Fancy Worsted Suits, a brownish hair line, made by Strouse & Bros. What more could be said, except $25 would be cheap for them. We shall sell for

$12.50 a Suit

Call this week, if possible.

LOT NINE.

Strouse & Bros.' fine imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, worth $22 at

$12.50 a Suit

LOT TEN.

A combination lot of three style-lots, 7520-7752-7900. Finest tailor-made suits, Strouse & Bros.' most stylish patterns, worth $20 and $22. We shall sell at

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In conjunction with Strouse & Bros.' sale, we offer several remarkable trades in cheaper suits. Three lines of Fancy Worsted Suits in neat dark stripes, $18 grade at

$9.75 a Suit

LOT 4070.

Fancy Grey Cheviot Suits, worth $13.00 a suit, at

$8.00

LOT 3900.

Light Fancy Cheviot, worth $8 a suit, at

$5.00 each

LOT 4093.

Nobby light Fancy Suit, worth $12 a suit, at

$6.75 each

Come before the stock is broken.

A SENSATION IN THE TRADE

You all know of the Washington Mills of Lawrence.

You all have heard of their famous Fancy Clays.

You all know for service they will wear to look well longer than most any suit made

You know $15.00 is the usual price of the best grades of the Washington Mills Clay Suits.

Possibly, too, you have seen their extreme Light Weight, offered as a bargain at $10.00 or $12.00.

WHAT DO WE DO?

We will tell you. We shall sell 500 suits in the two best patterns, genuine Washington Mills 14 oz. Fancy Clays, serviceably made, at the remarkble price of

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See them in our windows.

All the Summer Furnishing Goods now ready. Great variety of Summer Underwear, Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear, etc.

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Wear Style 1515, the hat with all the characteristics of a $3.00 hat and costs but $2.00. Colors, Black, Hazel and London Brown.

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THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—4:15; sets, 7:06.
Length of day—14h. 51m.
Moon sets—1:26 a. m.
Full sea—5:45 a. m.; 7:15 p. m.

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Partly cloudy; possibly light local showers; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Light showers, followed by clearing weather; easterly, shifting to southwesterly winds; warmer in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

LOCAL NEWS.

See local news on third page.

The gentlemen's delight, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 13 Church street.

Whooping cough is keeping some of the young children out of school these days.

Second-hand bicycle for sale at 115 Central st.—Bargain for cash—grab it quick.

The examinations at St. Patrick's Boys' school will be held about the first of June.

Just try Rourke & Sullivan with your next order for coal. Send postal or telephone.

Messrs. Charles P. Donohoe and Thomas J. McDonald are enjoying the fishing at Rangeley Lakes.

Best coal at lowest prices at E. A. Wilson's, cor. of Bridge and Merrimack street Rumels building. If you have no time to call, telephone.

The marriage of Miss Lucy Gertrude Downs and Mr. Charles Henry Holgate is announced to take place Wednesday evening, June 3, and the reception will be from 6 to 8.30 o'clock at 13 South Whipple street.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The conductors on the Haverhill and Lowell line of the street railway by no means favor a through run between the three cities as is done in summer. "I can't see why they do it" says one to me the other day, "I'll bet that I don't average more than two through passengers a day during the week. It is much more tiresome to make these through trips although I know that we don't cover any more miles." An accommodation is, however, afforded residents of Tower hill aboard the Lowell cars, who wish to stop along Essex street, by having the cars run to Haverhill they can do like without changing.—Lawrence American.

A man taken to Bellevue hospital, New York, for insanity imagined that he was an actor. There are many who do not become subjects for medical scrutiny who labor under a similar delusion.—Boston Traveler.

And somehow many of them come to Lowell occasionally.

White Ware Almost Given Away.

We have placed on sale this morning several crates of white ware at prices which will cause a speedy sale. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 88 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 31 MERK ST.

BOXING GOSSIP.

"The Referee" in the Boston Traveler wisely remarks:

"Just as I said, there was an immense amount of talk regarding the outcome of the McCoy-Smith contest at the Armory building the other evening. Joe Walcott is the first out in the field with a challenge to the winner. Joe thinks he would have lots of fun with McCoy, and so do I, but it would not be the kind of fun that Joseph would enjoy to any particular extent. McCoy is altogether too clever for Joe, and I hardly think the latter with his very short reach would be able to get his glove on McCoy's face. Under no circumstances, though, will McCoy fight Walcott, for he sternly draws the color line. The proceeding is an idiotic one on his part, for Walcott, Dixon and others have clearly demonstrated that a colored man can fight just as gamely and as scientifically as a white man. When a man is a fighter and posing for championship honors it seems to me that the color of a man's money is the only color he should look for. There has always been a deep-rooted prejudice to Joe Walcott. Sporting men did not like to see Joe matched against a white man, but I have an idea that the scruples of the sporting men would be removed very quickly if some white fellow came along who was able to give Joseph a good thrashing."

Local lovers of good boxing will undoubtedly turn out in large numbers to the spring meeting of the Gladstone Athletic club at the cricket grounds tomorrow, when a fine program of track and ring sports will be presented. As everyone knows the principal bout will be a 20 round exhibition between Mike Sears of Lewiston, Me., the plucky little bantam known all over the fistic world, and Luke Burke of this city, the promising young boxer who went a 12 round draw with Sears at the Gladstone club last year. Their first meeting was the first of importance for Burke, who was nervous and inexperienced.

Since that time he has been in the ring against several good ones and besides has improved wonderfully as a boxer. In his record it appears that he fought a three round draw with one Pete Carney, knocked out Bubbison in two rounds at the Gladstone club, drew with Mike Sears, 12 rounds at the Gladstone, knocked out young Sisto in four rounds at the King Philip club in Providence, drew with Jimmy Duffy in six rounds at the Prescott Athletic club, Boston; boxed with Joe Elms. Then he won from Fred Harrington in four rounds, won from Brennan in 3 rounds, from Humphery in 3 and from Colton in 3, while at 105 pounds in the amateur ranks.

Mike Sears has a long record of big victories going up against some of the finest men in the business. His most notable fights of late were with Sammy Kelly of New York losing a decision in New York and drawing on the second meeting in Boston.

Thomas Scully will referee the bouts.

There will be two interesting preliminaries one being a four round go between Jack Smith of this city and Tom Smith of Haverhill at 115 pounds and a four round go between Charlie Armstrong of this city and an unknown.

Beside the boxing, according to the program there will be an amusing barrel boxing contest, a bicycle race for novices, a tug of war and a mile run for a $50 purse between Tom Kelly of this city and Billy Salmon, his old rival. The admission is light and there will be any quantity of amusement.

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ANOTHER BRIDGE FIRE.

This Time Central Bridge Had a Slight Blaze.

Central bridge, or at least a portion of it was on fire yesterday noon.

When George Frye, superintendent of sewer work was going to dinner he saw a little blaze on one of the joists to which the planking is nailed.

He tried to brush it off but found it had burned deeper than he imagined. Then a boy came along and threw a pail of water on it and extinguished the blaze.

JUDGE LILLEY ILL.

Criminal Court at Salem Was Adjourned on That Account.

Owing to the illness of Judge Lilley, the sitting of the superior criminal court at Salem was adjourned Thursday morning till next Monday at 9.15 o'clock.

Overwork is the cause of Judge Lilley's indisposition. On account of the illness of Justice Bond all the other justices of the court have been compelled to perform an extra amount of labor, going from sitting to sitting without intermission, the result being the present sickness of Justice Lilley and worn looks that show on the countenances of Justice Sherman and other members of the bench.

At present all the justices favor the bill before the legislature increasing the number of justices by two, considering this increase an actual necessity if the dockets are ever going to be relieved of the pressure under which they labor in all the counties.

Officer Redmond Welch shot a large muskrat on Dutton street early this morning, "nailing" it with one bullet.

NEW BACKS, FOR OLD

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We're doing it every day in Lowell.

It's our business.

All new backs we furnish are satisfactory, too.

Marvellous, isn't it?

Not so much so when you know who we are.

We're Doan's Kidney Pills.

Don't surprise you so much now.

You know they always do their work.

And their work is making new backs out of old.

Old backs ache.

That is, they seem to ache.

It's the kidneys that ache.

And the back does the talking.

Backache is not all there is of kidney disease.

It's only the starter, so to speak.

Urinary troubles follow thick and fast.

Excessive urine—very common complaint.

Sediment in urine—getting worse.

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Mrs. S. A. Lewis, 82 Grand street.
Martin Canning, 9 Whiting street.
Thos. Burke, 12 Garnet street.
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CITY HALL NOTES.

The people are anxiously awaiting the investigation of the horse deal. When the common council meets next Tuesday evening, the investigating committee on the part of the lower board, will be named and then the matter can be thoroughly sifted.

Alderman Tryder is recovering from the injuries he received by being kicked by a horse.

Some people labor under the impression that a tuition fee is charged pupils in the kindergarten schools. This matter came to the attention of some of the teachers recently, and for the benefit of parents who may have that mistaken idea, it can be stated that all pupils who attend the kindergarten schools are taken in free of charge.

The committee on school houses and hygiene of the school board will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Alderman Howe is anxiously awaiting the return of City Solicitor Qua in order that he may examine and pass on the deeds for the Bartlett school site.

The committee on streets, yesterday afternoon, went on a tour of inspection of places where street improvements are asked. Every member of the committee took the ride.

Some of the school census enumerators have completed their work and are preparing to submit their returns.

Clinton R. Carpenter, for two and a half years bookkeeper at the Traders' bank has resigned to become cashier of the new Red Seal company.

LADIES WHO VALUE
A refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder. It produces a soft & beautiful skin.

LIGHT INFANTRY

Met at American House and Elected Officers.

The Richardson Light Infantry association held its 24th annual reunion in the American house last evening. The reunion opened with a business meeting the following members being present:

Joseph Hodge, a member of the Seventh Mass. Battery, and Clarence Robinson, son of Comrade Robinson of Lonsdale, R. I., were present as guests of the association and Hon. George F. Richardson, the god-father of the organization was on hand.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Z. B. Stuart, Manchester, N. H.; vice president, George N. Thissell, Methuen; secretary and treasurer, C. W. Brigham; board of government, Henry M. Hand, Franklin French, C. H. Frost, W. M. Green.

Official reports were submitted, supper was served and Hon. George F. Richardson and others made addresses.

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In Linen, Duck, Serge, Brilliantine, Mohairs, Fancy Mixtures, Combination Suits, etc. Grand assortment from $2.98 to $17.50.

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In Silks, Velvets and Cloths, 700 new Capes just in. Big values at $1.19, $1.49, $1.98, $2.75, $3.48, $3.97 to $7.50.

JACKETS
LATEST NOVELTIES, $5.00 Jackets $1.98; $7.50 Jackets $3.75; $10.00 Jackets $4.98; 15.00 Jackets $7.50.

MACKINTOSHES
Two-cape, Plaid-lined, Inlaid Velvet Collar (warranted) Mackintoshes, actual value, $8.50, this sale, $4.95.

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Five hundred dozen best variety, most perfect fitting and choicest patterns.

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Chris Holmes' SPECIALTY STORE,
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Cut His Head.

John Wallace, an employe of Stott's Lawrence street mill, while piling up wool in the wool house Thursday struck his head against a beam and sustained a bad cut. Twelve stitches were required to close it. Mr. Wallace was taken to his home on Swift street.

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Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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TYLER PARK

At a meeting of the directors of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway held May 18, it was voted to extend the tracks up Westford to Pine Street before "Winter."

THEREFORE, now is the time to buy house lots at Tyler Park to which the electrics will soon run directly.

These lots are situated at or near the height of land and there are none more desirable in Lowell. For terms and full particulars call on W. H. BENT, or

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SEPARATE SKIRTS—For $1.15, $1.98, $2.50, $3.95 and upward, in all the new materials, full flare, warranted in every respect, all skirts shortened and felled when necessary free of charge.

OUTING SUITS—For $4.95, $5.75, $6.75, $7.50, $8.75 and $10, made from Serges, Coverts Fancy Muslins and combinations. Skirts all full width, lined throughout and stiffened, full tailor made and a fit guaranteed.

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SECOND EDITION

MAYOR COURTNEY

Favors the Appointment of Inspector of Wires.

THINKS SUCH AN OFFICIAL WOULD DO GOOD.

The Law in Regard to This Question.

Mayor Courtney believes that an inspector of wires should be provided for the city.

Yesterday afternoon in conversation with a Sun reporter the recent trouble the street railroad company has had with its wires was referred to, and when the reporter asked His Honor what he thought of having an inspector of wires, the latter answered:

"Well, I never gave the matter very much consideration. I read about the trouble with falling wires and I think that it would be well to have an inspector who could examine these wires and see what condition they are in, and how they are strung.

"I suppose he could be furnished with maps showing the location of poles on which wires are strung and undoubtedly a good, faithful official in such a position attending strictly to business would discover any fault with the wires, that might lead to an accident were it allowed to go without repair."

The city council during the memorable deadlock took up the matter of an inspector of wires, but party contention prevented the creation of the office.

The statutes are mandatory on this question, but the city has only to vote to create the position and fix the salary of the official. The companies controlling wires throughout the city have things their own way, so long as there is not thorough supervision of the construction. At present the city entrusts the matter to the committee on wires, which places it entirely in the hands of Chief Hosmer of the fire department.

It is well known that Chief Hosmer is not an electrician, and cannot, therefore, tell whether the work is properly performed or not. He entrusts the work to Henry Fernald. But however competent Mr. Fernald may be, it takes him all his time to look after the wires of the fire department. He has absolutely no time to give to the defective construction by the electric companies of the city. Thus it appears that the law provides for an inspector of wires, who shall have general supervision over the fire department, railroad, telegraph, telephone and other companies controlling wires, but no such supervision is provided.

Is it strange, therefore, that fatal accidents will occur, when the important matter of supervising electric construction is allowed to go by default to the utter detriment of the city to the danger of life and property in every part of the city!

New Libel Law.
From the News.

The democratic newspapers of Lowell have always stood by the democratic representatives in the legislature. Is there any good reason why the democratic legislators should not stand by the democratic newspapers when they ask for a just and reasonable amendment of the law of libel? Many good turns deserve at least one good turn in return!

J. F. O'DONNELL,
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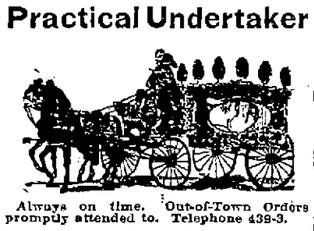

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THE SOLDIER GIRLS

Of the High School Give an Exhibition

WITH GREAT SUCCESS IN HUNTINGTON HALL.

A Large Gathering of Young People Present.

The young ladies of the High school demonstrated to an immense audience last evening that they are as proficient in the physical culture drill as is the boys' battalion in the manual of arms, and drill.

The large audience crowded all the available space in Huntington hall and applauded the pretty movements made by the young ladies. Probably no previous drill of the girls equalled last night's. There have been just as large audiences present at former events, but never have the girls in blue given such an excellent exhibition.

The American orchestra furnished music and as it played the first march, Miss Anna Cassidy, her gown of blue, brilliant and glittering with gold trimmings, at the head of the first battalion marched in her pretty soldiers. Then followed a series of marching movements in which the officers also took part.

The Delsarte exercises came next and the pretty little major took her position on the stage, gave her orders to the battalion and accompanied them in the drill.

But what excited the greatest enthusiasm was the battalion march in which the young ladies did themselves proud.

The officers of this battalion are;

Major, Miss Anna Cassidy.

Co. A—Mabel Brown, captain; Marie Davis, first lieutenant; Mabel Miller, second lieutenant.

Co. B—Alice Emmott, captain; Alice Richardson and Lillian Burbank, lieutenants.

Co C—Helen Dimon, captain; Margaret Willey and Charlotte Cheney, lieutenants.

Co. D—Katherine Law, captain; Oma Brown and Ella Penn, lieutenants.

The second battalion came in under command of Miss Evelyn Wilson, and after the opening march came the Swedish drill, and the dumb-bell work. The officers were:

Co. A—Isabella Faulkner, captain; Alice Bacheller, first lieutenant; Mabel A. Metcalf, second lieutenant.

Co. B—Ida M. Woodies, captain; Ethel Livingston and Ethel M. Everett, lieutenants.

Co. C—Ethel Whitcomb, captain; Edna G. McBrayne and Mabel H. Hall, lieutenants.

Co. D—Edith Merchant, captain; Alice Duckworth and Grace D. Hutchinson, lieutenants.

Music for the drill was played by Miss Edith Andrews, pianist.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Hear Several Petitioners for Damages for Injuries of Various Kinds.

The committee on claims gave hearings upon several petitions last evening.

J. B. Varnum's claim for the settlement of a contract upon the construction of the Memorial building was continued until the 28th instant.

Chas. L. Sweetser was given leave to withdraw upon his claim for damages for injury to a horse.

Bridget Allen's claim for damages in consequence of injury received by a fall on the street was continued.

Julia A. Coburn was given leave to withdraw upon a claim for damages sustained by the widening of Varnum avenue.

Esther M. Haynes was heard upon a claim for abatement of taxes for 1892 and '93 amounting to $1479, was referred to the city solicitor to report at the next meeting.

Several witnesses were heard upon the claim of Annie Rainey of damages for bodily injuries. John W. McEvoy appeared for the petitioner, and the case was continued until the next meeting to hear the report of the attending physician.

Off For Europe.

The following Lowell people are to leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for Europe: Miss Margaret O'Neil, Kate White, Maria Morton, Eliza A. Campbell, Maggie Marshall, Nellie Marshall, Ann Malone, John Judge, James Marlow, and Thos. Carney, all booked through Murphy's steamship agency.

Sunday Evening Lecture.

Thomas J. Gargan of Boston, will lecture Sunday evening in Associate hall on "Men and Memorials." The lecture will be under the auspices of the Y. M. C. L. S. of St. Patrick's church. Mayor Courtney will preside.

Shuman's suits, $10, today at the Merrimack Clothing Co., opp. City hall.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, desire to express our heartfelt gratitude in this public manner to all neighbors, friends, and relatives and all others who in any way tried to lessen our great sorrow at the death of a devoted husband and a kind and loving son. Especial thanks are tendered those who sent floral offerings and for attendance at the funeral. They may rest assured that their kindness to us in the hour of our sad, sad bereavement will never be forgotten.
Mrs. Nellie and Mrs. Mary Cahalane, wife and mother.

FELL FROM A ROOF.

Joseph Lennon Had a Miraculous Escape From Death But Didn't Escape Officer John Fox.

Joseph Lennon, but recently out of Bridgewater, it is said, is a lucky man for he had a wonderful escape from a broken neck last evening.

On the Fenwick street hill are two three story houses but a few feet apart though built on different plans. In an attic of one of these houses there reside a number of Portuguese, there being in the room beside, four nice new trunks probably containing the savings of these Portuguese. About 6 o'clock last evening Lennon, who was quite drunk, climbed to one of the roofs and attempted to get across to the other building Officer John Fox believing with a view to examing these trunks. Joseph, during his mid-air performance made a missstep and came down three stories striking the bricks quite hard. Officer Fox called the ambulance and Lennon was taken to the hospital where it was found that he was all right though very unruly and he was returned to the station. Later Officer Fox arrested Ben Black for drunkenness and another young man on suspicion.

In court this morning Black and Lennon pleaded guilty of drunkenness and were each sent to Bridgewater for 10 months. Lennon could hardly walk this morning owing to the shaking up he received by falling off the roof.

J. E. Conant & Co., say, "The time to buy real estate is when you can get it cheap; the kind to buy is a parcel that will make a profit; the place to buy is where you can combine the above two suggestions viz: cheap and sure to make a profit; that place is within your reach tomorrow afternoon when fifty out of the one hundred and sixty-two lots on the Butman estate are to be sold for just what you are pleased to bid for them." The terms are anything within reason; you can pick or choose any lot you desire; you can get a plan of the lots at the office of the auctioneers.

LOCAL NOTES.

City Solicitor Qua returned home last evening.

Raymond's jubilee singers gave a concert in Prescott hall last evening.

The last monthly sociable of the Y. W. C. A. was held last evening in its rooms.

The ladies of the Paige street P. W. Baptist church held a sociable last evening.

District Chief Templar A. D. Oxley of Wakefield visited Eirene lodge last evening.

Several new names were added to the membership role of Mt. Olive Senate last evening.

Miss Sarah Laycock's friends called on her at her home on Andover street, Wednesday night and presented her an elegant ring.

The New York Cloak and Suit Co., are forcing down prices as usual on silk waists, shirt waists, separate skirts and outing suits.

The alarm from box 82 at 3.30 this morning called the fire department to Silverberg's bakery, at the corner of Chelmsford and Grand streets.

Manufacturer's stock of dress skirts, waists, jackets, capes and mackintoshes at 40c. on the dollar, at Chris Holmes' specialty store. See advt.

Rev. James Mudge, pastor of the Highland Methodist church, will preach next Sunday on the "Blunders of the Blessed or the Warfare between Science and Theology."

I. H. Sternberg will officiate as announcer at the Memorial Day sports at the Cricket grounds. Spectators are requested to refrain from throwing bricks or railroad iron at the announcer who will make as much noise as he can.

It is a perfectly natural trait in a well organized and healthy mind to develop a propensity to make and accumulate money. At some the chances are thrust; to others they come after patient search; to all the result is the same, though the paths pursued cover a wide range and a broad scope. Tomorrow afternoon there is a genuine opportunity that will bring together many well informed men from various sources and scattered directions. Their goal is a chance to secure one of the lots at the Butman estate sale. The lots are way out Westford street at the corner of Chelmsford road, the land is of a rolling, sloping, undulating nature, and is very attractive to improve; it has been divided by broad avenues running through and across it into a beautiful suburb. You can walk from the electric cars at the corner of Middlesex and Wood streets, to the lots, in less than ten minutes; it is less than a quarter of a mile across to the new state highway or the extension of Princeton street. Do not allow anything to prevent your attending the sale. Suppose the lots sell for one-third their real value, wouldn't you like to secure one for the profit there is in it? Isn't that thrusting wealth at you? Doesn't that touch the spot in your anatomy that best desires to accumulate money?

North Chelmsford—Grand Concert.

A grand concert was given last night at the town hall. A large crowd was present and the concert was highly enjoyed by all. It was given under the management of Mr. Charles E. Hyde and was for the benefit of the organ fund of the Second Congregational church of this village. And quite a nice sum was realized. Among the notables present in the audience were the Rev. S. I. Briant, pastor of the church; Mr. George T. Sheldon of the Chelmsford Foundry Co., Mr. Arthur W. Trubey, principal of the North Chelmsford High school and Col. Royal S. Ripley. Miss Ada M. Woods presided at the piano in a very efficient manner. The program was a long one and embraced some fine talent.

Marriage Intentions.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Patrick McCellen 25, to Catherine Gorman 24.

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Sales prove the great Merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Great Merit enables it to accomplish wonderful Cures. Get only
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The One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1
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LATEST

MANY HEAVY SENTENCES

DISSOLUTE WOMEN SENT TO SHERBURN PRISON.

Keeper of a Disorderly House Goes to Jail—Other Cases in the Police Court This Morning.

Two drunks were released.

John Cleary got 20 days at the workhouse, and Nellie Nolan and Mary Garvey got each one year at the Sherburn institution.

Edward Armstrong pleaded not guilty of charges of drunkenness and keeping a disorderly house, and retained Mr. McVey as counsel.

Officer Howard testified that he arrested the defendant from the latter's house, 317 Middlesex street, and he was drunk in bed. Lieut. Kew said he was drunk. Both officers admitted that they went in without a warrant.

No defence was offered on the charge of drunkenness. On the other Officer Howard said that Armstrong's house is a resort for bad women.

Officer Kew testified that he had heard complaints of robberies in the house. Not long ago Armstrong's wife was arrested for robbing a man, claiming that she was Armstrong's sister. Last night one Italian was beguiled there by a female, and while there was "touched" for $3. No defence was offered on this charge either. He received six months in jail for the disorderly house and one month for drunkenness. Armstrong appealed and was held in $500 for the Superior court.

Cornelius Golden pleaded guilty of breaking and entering the store of P. Davis street and stealing 30 cigarettes and three 5 cent balls. He was held in $300 for the grand jury.

Then the juvenile cases were taken up. Dennis Shea, a young newsboy, pleaded guilty of stealing two oranges valued at 4 cents from an Armenian fruit dealer.

THAT HORSE DEAL.

What One Official Says But He May Not Prove It.

Regarding that horse deal it is reported that certain members of the city council are extremely anxious that it be held as soon as possible.

One alderman is said to have made the statement that he visited Boston the Saturday before the horses were purchased and saw a pair sold for $128 in the same stable that were as good as any pair for which the street committee paid $400.

ANNUAL FIELD DAY

Of the Lowell High School Battalion.

The annual field day of the high school battalion is being held at the Fair grounds today.

The young soldiers assembled at the school shortly after 1 o'clock and half an hour later the order to march was given.

The officers were all mounted and preceded the band.

The route was through Merrimack, Central, Gorham streets to the Fair grounds. Here the battalion and company drills were held, followed by the individual competitive prize drills.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN

And Child Had a Narrow Escape From Danger.

One of Hanson's big freight wagons while coming down Thorndike street at 11 o'clock this morning, struck a woman who was accompanied by a child. A bystander caught the child pulling it out of harm's way while the woman was knocked down by one of the horses. She was not thought to be seriously injured and the ambulance was not called. Her name could not be ascertained.

ADMIRAL BELKNAP

Read Another Paper on His Naval Experiences.

Admiral Belknap read another interesting paper to a fair sized audience in Associate hall, last evening, on his naval experiences before and during the war, while an officer on the battleship St. Louis. He related in a graphic and highly interesting manner his experiences while stationed at Vera Cruz, and while with the fleet during the capture of Fort Perkins, which was one of the three coast defences in Pensacola bay, about three miles from the city of Pensacola, were intensely interesting.

The Coolest Spot on Earth "Willow Dale."

For forty years the delightful summer resort "Willow Dale" has been known to the people of Lowell and each year its opening is hailed with much pleasure by the vast multitude who enjoy a day's outing under the shade of the trees along the shore of the beautiful lake. Each year the proprietors endeavor to make "Willow Dale" more and more inviting and this year they have spared no expense to make it the most popular resort in the vicinity of Lowell. They have enlarged and painted the cafe, have erected a new open air theatre; also added to the many attractions a roller coaster, new swings, new pleasure and fishing boats. They have launched on the lake a new and commodious steamer the "Willow Dale," which will accommodate 150 passengers. Dancing will begin this week Saturday and there will be a fine band concert Sunday afternoon and evening. Persons holding steamer tickets will be allowed to dance. The proprietors have already a number of entertainments booked for the season and the first attraction will be the Henderson's, beginning the second week in June.

Cricket Game.

Lowell A. A. and C. C. will play the Merrimack Cricket club at Lawrence tomorrow, Sat., May 23d. The team is as follows: D. Smith, J. Smith, M. Burns, W. Gath, J. Smith, W. Ellison, M. Micklejohn, H. Murphy, J. Waterhouse, T. Pinkington, H. Simpson. Reserve, H. Perkins, T. Hibbard. Will leave Square on 12.30 car.

Knocked Down By a Bicycle.

A little fellow named Bertie Shorey was knocked down by a bicyclist on Kirk street this afternoon and his leg was badly cut.

Mr. O'Connor's Motion.

In the legislature yesterday, Mr. O'Connor of this city moved to put Ward five of Lowell from the 6th to the 7th Middlesex district and Chelmsford and Dracut from the 7th to the 6th. Messrs. Putnam and Hayes of Lowell both opposed this.

CUT HIS THROAT

And Wrists in Desperate Attempt to Suicide.

ALBERT MUNSON'S CRAZY DEED THIS MORNING.

He May Recover in St. John's Hospital.

Albert Munson, a Swede, about 35 years, residing at 17 Meadowcroft street, sat down on the floor of one of the rooms in his house, this morning, hold a looking glass before him, and then drew a razor across his throat.

Afterwards he slashed his wrists, cutting three gashes in one and two in the other. There was no one in the apartments when he committed the deed. So far as could be learned, Munson has been ill, and this morning Dr. Waller called at the house to attend him. He had the doors locked and refused to admit the physician.

The latter appealed to the minister of the Swedish church who was near by, and the clergyman shouted into Munson that if he did not open the door he would break it in. This did not disturb Munson, so the owner of the house was found and opened the door with his key.

When they entered Munson was sitting on the floor with the razor and looking-glass by his side. The blood poured out of the wounds which were bandaged and the man was sent to St. John's hospital.

He was adjudged insane.

FUNERALS.

MADDOCKS—The funeral of the late Frank Maddocks occurred yesterday afternoon from St. Peter's church and was largely attended by friends and relatives, by whom deceased was held in highest esteem. The services at the church were simple, yet impressive, and were conducted by Rev. Fr. McManus. The music was rendered by a quartet consisting of T. F. Molloy, James A. Murphy, James Donnelly and David P. Martin, assisted by Miss Mabel Ware and Miss Lizzie McLaughlin. The casket was borne by Aubert J. Fay, Thomas A. Golden, Joseph H. Donohoe and James F. Owens. The ushers were Wm. McGrade, Wm Higgins, Mathew McDonald and Robert Campbell. The interment in charge of J. F. O'Donnell was in the Catholic cemetery. Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Spray of roses, Walter Cleworth and sisters; pillow inscribed "Frank," Tom Ramsey and Will Roberts; broken circle, boys of the repair shop, Fay Bros. & Hosford; spray of pinks, Robert Crowley, Jr.; spray of 150 white roses, Fay Bros. & Hosford; spray of pinks, Mrs. M. A. and John Stiles; spray of white roses, Miss Mary Strattard, Boston, spray of roses, Jennie and Misses Taylor; bouquet, Dr. and Mrs. McOwen; bouquet, Miss Owens; spray of roses, Miss Josie Cummiskey; wreath and base inscribed "Friend," from Tommy Golden, pillow inscribed "Son," from his father, George Maddocks; basket, Mr. and Mrs. Lane and Miss Blake; spray of 26 pinks, the Misses Conway; wreath, from Miss Annie McMahon; spray of white pinks, James F. Owens; spray of white pinks, Richard Connell; star and base from ushers of the Opera house; heart, from Mr. and Mrs. John S. Haynes; spray of white pinks, Miss Esther Owens; spray of Jack roses, George Patten; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morrison; spray of pinks, Miss Estelle Monroe; spray of pinks, W. E. Savage.

Have you been into J. E. Conant & Co.'s office after a plan of the Butman building lots yet? Now let me tell you something. Do it. Do it without fail. There are one hundred and sixty-two lots up there. Fifty of these lots are going to be sold. They'll be sold no matter what they bring. There'll be fifty lots change ownership that day; happen what may. You say they are too far out; well, it is not but a few years ago that old Ward four was thought to be way out in the country; now in land that you could have bought then for a quarter of a cent a foot is worth from twenty-five to forty cents a foot; and several families have made a fortune out of it. The chances out at the Butman sale tomorrow afternoon are identical with those.

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FOR THE BOYS
We always have sterling values, such as Shuman's Knockabout, the Monitor and B. O. E. school suits, BUT TO-DAY we offer you a stunner in the shape of 50 all-wool suits for boys from 5 to 15 years, made double seat and double knee, seams stayed, splendid patterns, earlier in the season would have been $5.00. The manufacturer wanted his cost, this is why the ticket on these suits is marked $3.

N. B.—As we have no branch stores or agencies, these bargains can be had only of us.

Merrimack Fashion Corner.
Op. City Hall. **Cloth'g Co.**

THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

MANY LIVES LOST

Cyclone and Water Spouts in Oklahoma.

DEATH DEALING STORMS SWEEP OSAGE COUNTY.

Three Cyclones Raged Within One Hour.

St. Louis, May 22.—A dispatch from Guthrie, Ok., states that great damage has been done through Osage county by cyclones and water spouts which occurred last night. At Edmond 20 houses were demolished and two were killed. At White Eagle three cyclones gathered in one hour and blew down between 40 and 50 house. At Black Bear three people were killed. The financial loss in Osage county will be $75,000.

THE GYPSY MOTH.

Gets $90,000 Appropriation and New Railroad Favored.

Boston, May 22.—The committee on ways and means today reported an appropriation of $90,000 for the extermination of the gypsy moth, in addion to $10,000 also appropriated, and the committee on railroads reported permission for the Mt. Tom railroad to begin business between Mt. Tom and Northampton.

BODIES BEING FOUND.

Search in the Ruins of Collapsed Building at Buffalo Continues.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 22.—Workmen have been searching the ruins of the Brown building all night, and at 11 o'clock discovered the body of the missing contractor, Straub, who was crushed almost beyond recognition.

The body discovered at midnight was identified as that of a Polish laborer, employed on the reconstruction of the building.

SUICIDE IDENTIFIED.

Body Found in Arlington Was That of a Maine Young Man.

Boston, May 22.—The body of the suicide discovered last Tuesday at the Arlington reservoir has been identified by relatives as that of Edward L. Mayne of Pittsfield, Me. Deceased was 37 years of age and resided with his father and mother. He was a spinner and made good wages at home. Recently he started out with the intention of doing even better than at home.

Gail Hamilton's Condition.

Salem, Mass., May 22—Physicians report today that Miss Dodge's (Gail Hamilton) condition is very critical, unsatisfactory symptoms having been noticed.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

The U. S. senate today took up the Butler anti-bond bill by a vote of 34 to 20.

Arthur Austin, the Nashua boy, who, it is alleged, attempted to kill a companion, Arthur Hatfield, last week, was arraigned today and held for the Supreme court.

In response to the invitation of the board of managers of the Tennessee exposition, Gov. Busiel today appointed the following committee to look after New Hampshire's interests: O. O. Brown, Rollinsford; W. O. Cadwell, Nashua; Walter M. Parker, Manchester; A. T. Batchelder, Keene; W. G. Brown, Whitefield; E. A. Kimball, Concord, Charles H. Barnes, Plymouth.

A fire at Amsterdam, N. Y., did $30,000 damage to the Wiefs house and $50,000 to the Hotel Warner.

It is announced that Sec. Olney will make a protest against the action of the Spanish government in forbidding the exportation of tobacco from Cuba. Other countries will do likewise.

G. T. Holtzengen of Holts, Pa., shot and killed a burglar last night.

An unknown vessel was reported ashore on Ronia shoal, off Sandy Hook, this morning.

A cafe and dance hall at Crescent Park, R. I., owned by G. B. Boyden, were destroyed by an incendiary fire last evening.

Ex-U. S. Senator Wallace of Penn., died in New York today after a long illness.

John J. Brush, cashier of the defunct First National bank of Elmira, N. Y., was arraigned in the U. S. circuit court today for false certification of checks and misappropriation of the bank's fund. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $10,000 for trial.

DEATHS.

RICHARDSON—Benjamin F. Richardson, a former resident of Lowell, died in Holyoke last week.

BRADLEY—Mrs. Julia E. Bradley died at Woodstock, Vt., May 20, aged 64 years. Three sisters survive her, Mrs. Caroline H. Flanders and Mrs. Harriet A. Rogers of this city and Mrs. Mary F. Woodford of Boston.

FLETCHER—Geneva Fletcher died yesterday at the residence of her uncle, R. C. Lord, 77 Billings street, aged 21 years. Besides her uncle, with whom she has lived since childhood, she leaves a sister.

PALMER—Mrs. Hannah Palmer, widow of the late Benjamin Palmer, died today at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Emily Ingalls, 30 South Loring street, aged 84 years.

Given to City.

St. Patrick's parish has relinquished to the city all claim to the Fair grounds for July 4th.

WANT A NEW LINE

Of Street Railroad on Beech Street, Centralville.

MANY CITIZENS APPEAR BEFORE STREET COMMITTEE.

Other Matters of Importance Considered.

A Centralville petition occupied the attention of the committee on streets for the greater part of last evening. Beech street residents and others in that neighborhood would like to see the street extended through the Parker estate, which is located at the northern end, so that the Street Railway company could run a track through there. Among the petitioners were F. N. Weir, Fisher H. Pearson, E. T. Rowell, Prentiss Webster, Mr. Young, W. F. McKenna, John McQuirk, George E. Putnam, James F. Savage. They all claimed that the property in the street will be increased in value, and naturally there will be increased revenue from taxation sufficient to recover the expense of the extension.

The remonstrants could see in this movement only a scheme to assist the railroad and failed to see how their property would be benefited.

Among the property owners who believed that their interests would not be benefited by the scheme were Mrs. Louisa J. Calef, represented by Lawyer Hamblett, Mr. Nathan Lamson, Mr. Goss, and Frederick Baily. These remonstrants appeared against the extension at First street only. James Stuart Murphy thought it a needless expense.

John Quirk asked that Kidder street from Crosby to Gorham streets be accepted.

George A. Coburn wanted Albert street laid out; also Victoria street and the lines defined.

Oliver M. Haines asked that Upham street be laid out.

F. P. Folsom and others signed a petition to have edge stones placed in the south side of Shaw street.

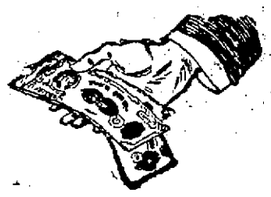
Fisher H. Pearson asked that Wood street, between Middlesex and Westford streets, be straightened and its lines defined.

Arthur E. Silcox wanted Dunley street in Pawtucketville accepted.

B. D. O'Connell and Councilman Webster appeared as petitioners to have Music hall avenue made a street and accepted by by the city as such. Those opposed were C. E. Poore, Col. Francis and M. L. Hamblett.

A petition was read asking that Chelmsford street at the boundary line be widened.

A most delightful and artistic concert was that given in Associate hall last evening by Miss Gaselchap, the noted pianiste, and Mr. Fritz Giese, the 'cellist. A large and fashionable audience attended.



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Sale of boys' suits today at Merrimack Clothing Co., opp. City hall. $5 worth for $3.

MONEY DEPOSITED.
Money deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at 30 Middlesex street and 11 Post Office avenue before 4 p. m. Wednesday, June 3, will draw interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from June 1st. Interest may be withdrawn or will be added to the principal on the first days of July and January. Bank open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. WILLIAM F. HILLS, Cashier.

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30 dozen ladies' light weight Jersey Vests only 6c.
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Sunday Trains.

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
7 14	8 52	8 00	9 55
7 27	8 12	9 00	10 07
8 45	10 23	1 00	1 57
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Sunday Trains.

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Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

The administrators on John Stetson's estate should advertise for all his remaining wives. Such an advertisement would probably bring dozens of claimants.

SENATORIAL PROSPECTS.

That piece of trickery by which Rep. Roper ruled A. G. Walsh out of the senatorial contest in the seventh Middlesex district, is worthy of A.P.A. politics.

Roper is the A. P. A. candidate for senator; Walsh is not a representative of that insidious order.

The latter was a candidate against Foss and was beaten by a small majority at the caucuses.

That put him in line for a future occasion, but under the gerrymander, as dictated by Roper, Mr. Walsh was left outside and he cannot, therefore, be a candidate in the Lowell senatorial district this year.

Roper and Putnam will have the contest to themselves, but they will have to reckon with Senator Pearson also, who will probably run, despite the majority against him.

If Mr. Walsh becomes a candidate he will have to face Senator Burns of Ayer who has a big hold on the outlying towns.

This little episode will serve to widen the chasm that exists between the genuine republicans and the A. P. A. element in Lowell politics. The struggle becomes more bitter as it proceeds.

GETTING INTO A HOLE.

Mr. Courtney said at a meeting of the bath committee that somebody is urging on this bath project for the purpose of "putting him in a hole." We surmise that he would not get into much of a hole if he would meet the wants of the people as much as he possibly can. He would not get into a hole by urging the appointment of an inspector of wires; but he will get into a hole and a very deep hole if he favors the purchase of the M. M. A. pictures, which the people don't want, while refusing public baths, which the people do want.

It is hardly fair for His Honor to assume that when the voice of the people is heard through the press and otherwise pleading for a public improvement such as free public baths, it is all but a movement "to put him in a hole." The masses who want public baths never considered His Honor in the matter until he said it would put him in a hole. The people are not considering his case, but their own, and his getting into a hole or out of a hole is not a sufficient reason for casting aside the public bath project when it becomes financially feasible. Did it ever occur to His Honor that the members of the bankrupt society who prevailed upon him to recommend the purchase of those portraits were really putting him in a hole in order to pull the society out of a hole.

THE REPUBLICAN HOUSE.

The present house of representatives of the great and general court is decidedly the most unscrupulous body that ever filled that chamber.

Not content with giving Boston a state police commission, it favors taking away from the representatives of that city the power of granting theatre licenses.

The house would put this power in the hands of the police commission just as if that body had not too much power already.

The extremely partisan element in the house has no scruples in taking from Boston the right to home rule. That body of fledgling legislators would deprive a city or even half the state of its political rights without the slightest compunction.

Judging from the onslaughts upon the rights of cities and the various gerrymanders throughout the state, it would seem that the work of the statesman has now been taken up by political Philistines.

But for the senate the legislation that would be placed upon the statute books would disgrace a lot of tinkers' apprentices.

There are some good men in that house but they are overruled on every question by the political free booters with whom nothing is sacred, and in whose eyes the greatest crime is justified if it can be dignified by the name of law.

HILL CALLED DOWN.

For Attempting to Obstruct Business in the Senate.

Washington, May 22.—The senate had an hour of much excitement, with a resort to obstructive tactics and several *heated personal controversies* yesterday. The early portion of the session had been given to the routine of agreeing on conference reports on appropriation bills. At 5 o'clock, Mr. Butler (Pop., N. C.) moved to take up his bill prohibiting the further issue of interest bearing bonds. Mr. Hill immediately moved an adjournment, securing a yea and nay vote, in order to gain time. The motion to adjourn was defeated, whereupon Mr. Chandler followed with a motion for an executive session. For an hour, rollcalls and calls of the senate followed in quick succession. As a further means of delay, Mr. Hill secured the reading of a lengthy conference report which had been presented, and Mr. Chandler secured the reading of several long routine documents sent over from the house. Irritated by these delays, Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.) accused Mr. Hill of a lack of good faith, to which the New York senator angrily retorted that Mr. Allen's statement was false. The colloquy was brief, but was very sharp and full of feeling. At 6:15, the sergeant-at-arms was directed to go for absent senators. Before this could be executed, however, Mr. Butler yielded for the night.

Weary of Exile.

Milwaukee, May 22.—President C. C. Trumpf of the South Side Savings bank, who fled to Europe, three years ago, when his bank failed, with $1,135,000 liabilities and no assets, appeared in court yesterday and surrendered himself. Bail was fixed at $7500, which was furnished. He will be tried on the indictment charging him with accepting money, knowing the bank to be insolvent. Cashier Koetting was convicted on this charge, and sent to prison for five years.

Assault and Battery Only.

Boston, May 22. — Francis Sullivan was tried yesterday on the charge of manslaughter, for the alleged killing of his father, John J. Sullivan, in a drunken fight at their home on April 11. The case was taken from the jury, and Sullivan pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery, receiving a sentence of two years in the house of correction.

Kruger Not to Blame.

Pretoria, May 22.—The revised sentences of the reform prisoners have been unfavorably received. It is declared by a most independent and trustworthy authority that President Kruger persistently urged that all the sentences to imprisonment should be replaced by fines. For three days he pressed this view, but he was overcome by a majority of the executive council. It is felt that the Transvaal government has lost a great opportunity for a reconciliation, and there is a strong feeling in favor of *the reconsideration of the decision as to* the sentences. The fate of the four leaders, Rhodes, Phillips, Hammond and Farrar, whose sentences were provisionally commuted to 15 years' imprisonment, will be announced on Monday.

Won't Stand the Boycott.

Milwaukee, May 22. — The business men have revolted against the boycott incident to the street railway strike. The commission merchants yesterday unitedly took the initiative in the movement by issuing a manifesto, saying that while expressing no opinion as to the differences between the street railway company and its former employes, they emphatically assert their right and that of their families, employes and patrons to transact business with such persons, and to patronize such public and private conveyances as may suit their conveniences, "and hereby give notice that we shall defend our rights in these matters by all lawful means."

Vermont Odd Fellows.

Rutland, Vt., May 22. — The grand lodge, I. O. O. F., session yesterday was devoted to subordinate lodges, called up by their representatives on presentation of lodge reports. The subordinate lodges were found to be in flourishing condition. The support of the Gill Odd Fellows' home was provided for by a tax on each member of a subordinate lodge. In this way between $4500 and $5000 will be raised. H. L. Parker of Lyndenville was elected grand master. Standing committees were appointed, and after concluding routine matters the lodge adjourned.

Says He Saw Maud Williams.

Montreal, May 22.—There is a man in Montreal who is willing to swear that Maud C. Williams, the missing heiress, was in Montreal about April 10—he is not quite sure of the exact day—and that he has seen her. The man is Lois Briere, a porter of the Stanley hotel. Briere says she came with a man who was of medium height, and wore a tall hat. Briere expresses the opinion that *the girl is hidden away here*, and the detectives have offered him $100 to find her.

The Tuckers In Gotham.

New York, May 22. — Commander Tucker and his wife returned to this city last night from San Francisco. Commander and Mrs. Booth will address a meeting at Cincinnati on May 31. June 1 and 2 will be spent in Cleveland, and on June 5 the couple will address a meeting in Boston. The next day they will speak at New Bedford, Mass., from which point they will return to this city. Herbert Booth will be in this city June 14, when he will be given a welcome at the Fourteenth street headquarters.

GREAT SALES prove the great merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because it accomplishes **GREAT CURES.**

DR. WALKER, DENTIST.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at the office of the City Messenger, City Hall, until 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, May 27, for the masonry work and construction of a rifle range, situated in Dracut. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, H. P. Graves, Gliddon Building, Middlesex street.

The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

CHARLES E. HOWE, Chairman Military Committee.

THE WAY OUT OF IT.

A Breach of Promise Case and an Alleged Friend in Need.

Dick—Hello, old man! You're just the fellow I want to see. I'm in a deuce of a scrape.

Jack—You don't say! What's the trouble?

Dick—Well, of course, what I am to tell you must be considered strictly confidential?

Jack—Certainly!

Dick—Well, you remember several weeks ago, when I first met Miss Foxyton—we were up to call one evening?

Jack—Yes.

Dick—Well, she swears she'll sue me for breach of promise.

Jack—By Jove, that's too bad! What are you going to do about it?

Dick—That's just it. I knew you were better acquainted with the girl than I and thought you could advise me in the matter. Now, what would you do if you were placed in my position?

Jack—Do the same as I did when she threatened to sue me on the same ground.

Dick—Good heavens! Did she threaten you?

Jack—Yes.

Dick—Then she can't be in earnest?

Jack—But I think she is.

Dick—Well, how did you settle the matter with her?

Jack—I told her calmly that a breach of promise suit was most undesirable for both of us. It would cause notoriety and no end of comment, and if it could be settled otherwise it was unquestionably the better thing to do. I also informed her that I was not in a position to marry, but I would do all I could to promulgate her cause in a quiet way, and she agreed to it. Now, why don't you try that scheme? It might work.

Dick—I certainly shall. What did you do?

Jack—I introduced her to a friend of mine.

Dick—Good idea! You are certainly a man of inexhaustible resources. Oh, by the way, who did you introduce to her?

Jack—You.—Truth.

The Music of the Boom.

Since first the morning stars did sing
Together no'er was made
Such music, thinks a candidate
Whose pipes have been well laid.
The voice of love when love and life
Are in their early bloom
Is but a penny whistle to
The music of the boom.

"When music, heavenly maid, was young,"
E'er man had caught the sound
That comes to him who listens now
With ear close to the ground,
Earth must have been a dreary place,
No better than a tomb,
He thinks today while drinking in
The music of his boom.

Hope tells to him a flattering tale
And fools him to his bent.
He sees all signs and portents point
To him as president.
Now, in his mind, with portals wide
He sees the White House loom,
And gayly marches toward it to
The music of his boom.

But while he listens, lo, 'tis lost!
What mean those waves of sound
That rise above his boom, wherein
It dwindles and is drowned?
His heart is filled with bitterness,
His eyes are filled wish rheum,
What time he hears the booming of
Some other fellow's boom.

Still, in his mind, he'll hear his own
Make music, growing slow
And faint and faraway as time
Goes tearing on. But, oh,
The silence it will seem as loud
As would the crack of doom
When autumn's mournful breezes bring
No echo of his boom.

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Mrs. Nellie A. Smith, the well known boarding-house keeper, has leased the Bay View Hotel at

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LOST—On Merrimack street, between Suffolk and Decatur streets, on Saturday night a pocketbook containing a sum of money and pocket pieces. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at McGuire's grocery store, corner Salem and Common streets.

DR. BANTER has removed his office to 216 Central street, (Bill's block.) Hours, 10 to 12, 2 to 5, 7 to 9.

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Hunter Rye,
Gold Lace,
Canadian Club,
Old Pepper,
Duffy Malt,
Gibson's XXXX,
Finch's Golden Wedding,
Irish and Scotch Whiskies.

ALE AND BEER.

Muir & Co 's Scotch Ale,
Belfast Ginger Ale,
Bass' Ale—Foster's, Daukes' Dog Head—White Label,
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Daiser (Imported) Beer,
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WINES.

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Sunset Claret,
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Sunset Sauterne,
Mansley Wine,
Imported Port, Sherry, and Maderia in bottles and in bulk.

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Eden,	Dowd's Honest 10
La Carolina,	7-20-4,
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Henry Clay,	Old Hundred,
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Cannot Rule the Action of State Delegates.

New York, May 22.—The arrival in this city of William M. Hahn occasioned much speculation yesterday among the Republican managers as to the object of his visit. An incident that occurred at the Fifth Avenue hotel satisfied the politicians that he had come here to have a consultation about the vice presidential nomination.

General Horace Porter, who has been spoken of as McKinley's running-mate on the Republican ticket, entered the hotel and asked for Mr. Hahn. A conference lasting an hour followed, and after General Porter left the hotel, Mr. Hahn started for Canton, O. The crowd of politicians in the state headquarters was sure that Mr. Hahn had made final arrangements with General Porter to take second place on the national ticket. It was asserted by the Platt men, after Mr. Hahn's departure, that the McKinley managers' plans included the nomination of General Porter as vice president and the appointment of Warner Miller as secretary of the treasury, in the event of McKinley's election.

Shortly after the Hahn-Porter conference, another vice presidential boom was launched at the hotel, St. John Gaffney, a McKinley boomer, declared that the choice of the New York McKinleyites for vice president was Cornelius N. Bliss. He said that Mr. Bliss would add strength to the McKinley ticket in the east, and would ensure its election.

The chief reason for the anger of Platt and his followers over Warner Miller's recent interview is their fear of its effect upon state politics. Platt knows as well as does any one else that he cannot now dictate the course of the New York delegation at St. Louis, and that a considerable part of it will refuse to follow him. It is as an omen of the future that the interview has incensed Platt. The leading supporters of McKinley in New York are men who have steadfastly opposed the boss. Some of them at bottom favor McKinley for no other reason than enmity to Platt. At first they seized upon his candidacy as a convenient weapon to fight the boss, and so used it in the state convention. Then, as they saw the increasing sentiment for McKinley in the rank and file of the party, especially in the interior of the state, they recognized in it a means for an attempt to dethrone the boss.

In their view, Platt's opposition to McKinley has gone so far that he and his lieutenants cannot prudently be trusted with the management of the Ohioan's campaign, if he is nominated. They claim that McKinley's managers will intrust it to them; and that, after he takes office, they will distribute the federal patronage in New York. With the McKinley league as a working organization, with the confidence of his managers, and with patronage, they believe they can make a better fight against Platt then they have ever made before, and that his followers will gradually desert him. Miller's interview was sort of a concerted signal for this contest, expedited by the undoubted anger of the strict party men in many parts of the state at Platt's bitter campaign against McKinley. The Platt crowd tries to disguise its apprehensions, but it is plainly uneasy.

A report gained currency in Wall street yesterday to the effect that McKinley will come out in a day or two with an announcement that he is directly in favor of a gold standard. The report found many believers, as an immediate rally in the stock market showed. It is significant that in bank circles certain bankers who have all along expressed their dislike for Major McKinley, and their doubts of his position on the currency question, are talking today more in his favor, and some of them say positively that they have information that McKinley will be a firm advocate of sound money, as the term is understood in the street.

Russell Sage came out for McKinley yesterday, by saying that McKinley is as firmly in favor of a gold standard as he is himself. Mr. Sage said that he had taken pains to ascertain directly and for his own information.

Chauncey M. Depew is quoted as follows on Major McKinley's silence on the currency question: "I differ from some of my friends in regard to the position McKinley has taken. I hold that when a man is once in the field it is right and proper for him to keep quiet and let his record speak for itself. Let him put himself in the hands of his friends, and let them do the talking. It is not a man's friends who want him to talk, but his enemies. His friends know where he stands, and he does not need to speak for their benefit. His enemies only seek to make him talk, that they may trip him up."

Wyoming For Free Silver.

Laramie, Wyo., May 22.—The Democratic state conventon was controlled entirely by the free silver element of the party, and adopted a platform of one plank, embodying the most advanced views in favor of that policy.

Building Falls In Buffalo.

Buffalo, May 22.—Brown's building at the corner of Main and Seneca streets, which was undergoing repairs, collapsed yesterday, burying a score of people in the ruins. At least four are known to have been killed.

Saved by Brother Miners.

Ironwood, Mich., May 22.—The miners who were imprisoned in the Ashland mine yesterday have all been rescued by miners, who drifted through to them from the Norris mine. All were uninjured.

ENTERED MOSCOW

The Czar and Czarina Were Honored by Thousands.

THE MOST MAGNIFICENT CEREMONIAL EVER SEEN.

Great Gathering Representing All the Nations.

Moscow, May 22.—There was little or no sleep Thursday night for the majority of those privileged to witness the state entry of the czar and czarina into the city of Moscow. Throngs of people remained in the streets all night viewing the decorations. The promenaders included all sorts and conditions of people, and hundreds slept or sat all night in the adjoining boulevards. In nearly all the thoroughfares there was a ceaseless stream of droschkies, and a small army of men were employed with wooden shovels, rakes or brooms spreading a layer of sand over the route to be followed by the procession.

At 3 o'clock the day dawned, and soon the sun shone over the long, straight vista of the bellagged route to the city triumphal arch marking the city bounds. Out beyond the archway, the human tide began flowing in the direction of the Petrovski park, and at 7 o'clock there was an unbroken line on both sides of the entire route three miles long. Every moment the stream of moujiks and townsfolk in holiday attire increased in volume, and at 10 o'clock there was no sign of the strong military force which was to guard the route. Here and there a policeman was to be seen; but a more patient or more orderly crowd it is impossible to imagine. Every available place was occupied, and side streets were blocked with people standing on boxes, chairs, tables or ladders. There was not the least pushing, scrambling or shouting.

The moujiks, who had discarded their winter sheepskins, were uniformly dressed in long, black coats, and wore broad, flat, black, peaked caps. They were to be found everywhere in the front line, and the crowds behind them were composed of mingled town and country people of both sexes, the women mostly wearing headgear of white or colored handkerchiefs tied under the chin.

Mingled with the throngs were also to be seen pilgrims with staves in their hands, bundles on their backs and wearing sandals on their feet. The background was embowered with flags, evergreens, trophies and elaborate arrangements of lamps. The open windows were packed with householders and their families, all in summer costumes.

At noon the troops began to line the streets, and a constant series of diversions was offered by their passage.

The departure of the court officials and officers, princes and others, served to entertain the crowds, and those who were favorites with the masses were heartily cheered. While waiting for the starting procession brushes were passed among the soldiers, and they carefully removed the dust from their uniforms and shoes. The ladies at the windows or on the balconies beguiled the time by smoking cigarets.

At the Travinoi convent and other religious institutions, sacred images, relics and crosses were brought out by the priests and nuns. The former, with their long hair and beards and gold embroidered vestments attracted much attention, and the crowd, with one accord, made the sign of the cross when they appeared.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock a few drops of rain fell, but the clouds were soon dispelled by bright sunshine. At 1 p.m., Grand Duke Vladimir, followed by a brilliant suite, traversed the route and, in accordance with Russian military custom, saluted each regiment.

Nothing was lacking to the impressive effect of the procession to the Kremlin, the cortege thus unfolding to the wondering multitudes being majestic and complete in its beauty as well as its magnificence, and embodying every element of impartial splendor. Traversing the streets of holy Moscow, it was seen to the utmost possible advantage. The long array of state carriages, with their princely escorts, the gallant cavalry and all of the appendages of a great imperial court, with the emblems of power and greatness of historic throne, had there a picturesque and appropriate setting.

The famous Cossack Guards made a brave show, with their long red coats, Astrakahan caps and long scimitar-shaped swords, and they claimed a special share of the popular attention.

The Asiatic and other wild races represented in the procession attracted almost as much attention as the czar and czarina. They included Khivans, Esquimos, Finlanders, Poles, Laplanders, Cossacks, Circassians, Georgians, Tartars, Karapapaks, Bashkirs, Teherkesses, Eaghistanis, Kurds, Chinese, Armenians and others, all in a rich variety of picturesque costumes, distinguished by a variety of infinite colors. These people rode behind the advance guard of police of Cossacks of the guard.

Another striking group was one composed of the servants of the imperial household. They numbered about 60 persons, and wore plumed hats and the richest of court liveries.

The court musicians and the huntsmen also found great favor with the masses; but, the whole procession was so briefly arranged that each group as it passed seemed to eclipse the preceding group by its picturesqueness and brilliancy.

The czar, czarina and dowager czarina were, of course, the central figures of the pageant, and their appearance evoked thunders of applause, which the czar acknowledged with military salutes, and the empress by bowing graciously on either side.

The music of the military bands, the clanging of the innumerable bells from the many hundreds of churches of the ancient capital, and the cheering of the masses all contributed to swell the enthusiasm which was evoked by the grandiose, impressive spectacle.

A splendid effect was produced by the lines of magnificent vehicles in the procession, and the whole affair passed off almost without a hitch. The immense crowds of people present behaved in an exemplary manner, and the police had little or nothing to do, so thoroughly were the people impressed with the solemnity of the occasion, beyond attending to their ordinary duties when large crowds of people gather together.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Andrew Carnegie says a gold standard means prosperity.

Turkey paid $150,000 in settlement of the Jiddah outrages.

The sealing schooner May Belle, from Victoria, is probably lost.

Thousands of acres of grain were ruined by floods in Illinois.

There are 93 heirs under the will of the late Admiral Joseph Smith.

The steamship line from Japan to New York will increase its capital stock.

Mme. Clara Schumann, the famous pianist, died at Frankfort-on-the-Main.

Hamlin E. Hadley, charged with larceny of a mileage book, was fined $31 at Concord, N. H.

Martha Spencer, aged 60 years, committed suicide at Willimantic, Conn., by strangling herself.

Mrs. Etta A. Kilham of Lynn, Mass., pleaded guilty to the charge of kidnapping Celia Leonard.

The supreme council of the Royal Arcanum accepted an invitation to meet next year in Boston.

State Master Bachelder of the New Hampshire Grange has appointed June 13 as children's day.

James Dewitt was hanged at Grayson, Ky., in the presence of over 5000 people, for the murder of his wife.

The United States has not protest against Weyler's edict prohibiting the export of tobacco from Cuba.

The shoe firm of Lewis Gross & Co. of Amesbury, Mass., will move their plant to Milton Mills, N. H.

The Seaboard Air line is accused of padding the mails, to secure extra compensation from the government.

Congressman Ashley B. Wright of North Adams, Mass., announces that he will be a candidate for re-election.

James Thompson has presented the Congregational church at Hookset, N. H., with a new bell, valued at $350.

The Orange Free State volksraad has rejected the convention with Cape Colony for the construction of branch railroads.

Work has begun at Provincetown, Mass., on the new life saving station to be built at Wood End, near the lighthouse.

Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn bridge will own the new electrical equipments, on which $100,000 will be expended.

The dedication services at the new high school at Medford, Mass., were quite elaborate, and the building was formally opened.

Grand Duke George of Russia (the czarowitch) arrived at Naples, and proceeded to Castellamare, where he will remain for a few days.

Enoch J. Child, aged 71 years, tried to strangle himself with a blanket at Marlboro, Mass., and almost succeeded. He has been mentally sick.

Schooner Lewis Jane, with coal, grounded at the entrance to Chatham (Mass.) harbor, and has pounded quite badly. She is full of water.

Charles Brainard, aged 50, overseer of the Pomenah mills at Taftville, Conn., was instantly killed by being struck by a freight car in the millyard.

H. G. Nicholas of Boston, manager of the Dwight cotton mills at Gadsden, Tenn., was seriously, if not fatally, injured by scaffolding giving way.

At the state encampment of the Wisconsin G. A. R., a resolution condemning the assault of President Eliot of Harvard on the G. A. R. was unanimously adopted.

Nathaniel H. Emery, instructor in mathematics and rhetoric at the New Hampshire confetence seminary at Tilton, has accepted a similar position at the Lehigh university, Pennsylvania.

Ebenezer Nelson, senior editorial writer of the Boston Transcript, who had been connected with the paper in various capacities for 44 years, died suddenly at Cambridge, Mass., from a stroke of paralysis. He was born in Plymouth, Mass., in 1824.

Concerning Seal Extermination.

London, May 22.—George N. Curzon, in the house of commons, yesterday, said that with the co-operation of Canada and the United States, two professors of natural history will shortly proceed to the Behring sea, in order to study the fur sealing industry. The regulations for sealing in British Columbia, he said, were, in some respects contrary to the recommendations of the British commissioners. Steps, he continued, were being taken to inquire into the working and adequacy of the regulations, with the co-operation of Canada, owing to the repeated representations of the United States in regard to the inadequacy of the present regulations for the proper protection of the seals.

Not Satisfactory to England.

London, May 22. — Mr. Chamberlain presided last night at the South African annual dinner. He expressed his regret at the small progress which had been made toward the reconciliation of the Dutch and English in South Africa. He said he could not regard the sentences finally fixed upon the reform prisoners as satisfactory. He had always regarded President Kruger as the last man to be animated by vindictiveness toward the men, who, though they had erred grievously, had still created the prosperity of the Transvaal. The policy of the British government, he said, would not be changed. They were strictly fulfilling their legal obligations, and they would maintain their legal rights.

Anticipate a Cutdown.

Philadelphia, May 22.—One hundred and thirty-five girls employed at Powell Bros.' hosiery mill, this city, struck yesterday, because they thought their employers intended to reduce their wages. The girls say they have had their wages reduced twice within 12 months, and were afraid of a still further reduction. The representatives of the firm refuse to discuss the trouble.

First Rain Since March.

New Haven, May 22.—The protracted drought, which had threatened incalculable loss to the crops throughout the state, was broken yesterday by the first rainstorm which occurred since March. The weather bureau recorded a precipitation of one-half inch throughout the state.

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TERRELL TALKS

Concerning Certain Statements of His Action.

HE CLAIMS TO HAVE DONE HIS DUTY.

And Knows No Cause of Complaint.

Washington, May 22.—Mr. Terrell, our minister to Turkey, in reply to queries regarding an article in which it was stated that William E. Dodge and others, with Rev. H. O. Dwight of Constantinople, had asked his removal from the post of minister to Turkey, said:

"I am averse to newspaper interviews, but necessity knows no law. I am reliably informed that Rev. H. O. Dwight recently addressed certain gentlemen representing the various educational and mission enterprises in Turkey, after which they organized what they styled a "defense committee," composed of laymen, and which should thereafter be the medium of communication between those foreign missions and our government. It is composed of William E. Dodge, Darwin R. James, Everett P. Wheeler and perhaps others. I am also informed that Mr. Dwight met that committee and presented his views of Turkish affairs. I was not present, do not know what he said, nor do I know personally any of that committee."

"Did the committee ask for your removal?" was asked.

"They came to Washington, but their high character forbids the idea that they should have made such a request on any ex parte information against a gentleman whom they did not know, and who did not know them. They filed no charges."

"Perhaps Mr. Dwight desired your removal?"

"It seems incredible, for Mr. Dwight has more than once expressed through the press, and in letters to me, the highest appreciation of my diplomatic efforts. No charges have been filed against me. I am here, absent from an afflicted family, but would not need 10 minutes' preparation to answer before any authorized tribunal any charge affecting my personal or official action. The charges against me will be attended to when I can unearth a responsible assailant. I have written to William E. Dodge to know if he is responsible for them, and await his answer.

"Missionaries at every post in Asia Minor (save one) have expressed to me their gratitude for life and rights protected. That post is occupied by a missionary teacher who refuses to swear to support the constitution of his country, because he cannot find God in it. I had him also protected by a guard. Once when requested by the Ottoman government to export that man, I answered that I came to protect my countrymen, not to expel them."

"Had you heard of any opposition to your diplomatic course?"

"Oh, yes, but that was two years ago. Certain newspapers assailed me for dining often with the sultan and for not protecting Americans. The last charge was known to be utterly false, and the first so idiotic that I disregarded it. I went to preserve peaceful relations between nations and to protect our people. Whatever men may think of the Sultan of Turkey, he is an intellectual and courteous sovereign, whose courtesies I accepted, and I have never felt called on to destroy my influence by accusing him as the author of atrocities. He has protected American missionaries whenever requested during a period of fearful trial as promptly as any Christian monarch in Europe could."

Says He Didn't Say It.

New York, May 22.—The regular monthly meeting of the Republican county committee was held last night. Chairman Lauterbach made an announcement, in which he denied having said that "Owing to his quibbling on the money question, if McKinley is nominated at St. Louis, he cannot carry the state of New York, and cannot be elected President of the United States." Mr. Lauterbach said the words attributed to him were misinterpreted.

Wants Spain to Settle.

Tampa, Fla., May 22. — Walter G. Dygert, recently confined by the Spanish in prison at Guines, Cuba, and who has been in Tampa since his liberation, left yesterday for his home in Illinois. He has collected all the evidence in his case, and will turn it over to the state department at Washington, asking the United States to compel the Spanish government to pay him damages in the sum of $100,000.

Will Be Well Treated.

London, May 22.—Joseph Chamberlain has received a telegram from Pretoria to the effect that President Kruger has promised that special jail regulations will be framed and made applicable to the Johannesburg reform prisoners, and also that proper accommodations will be provided for them.

Colorado Financier Arrested.

Denver, May 22.—C. H. Dow, president of the Commercial National bank, which failed in 1893, has been arrested here on indictments charging him with misappropriation of funds of the bank and making false reports to the government. He was released under $5000 bail.

Award to New England.

Washington, May 22.—Postmaster General Wilson has awarded a contract for furnishing registered, package, tag, official and red-letter envelopes, the envelopes used throughout the postal service, to the Plimpton Manufacturing company of Hartford and the Morgan Envelope company of Springfield, Mass. The contract is for one year, at $92,000. It involves the manufacture of 70,000,000 envelopes.

Little Else But Ice.

St. John's, N. F., May 22.—The ice-floe extends in all directions as far as the eye can reach. Steamer Barcelona, from Liverpool, encountered the first ice 180 miles off the coast. She reports that the ocean is covered with monster icebergs, some of them being over a mile long.

Date For Irish Convention.

London, May 22.—The convention of the Irish throughout the world, which was decided upon at a meeting of the anti-Parnellites to call at Dublin, has been fixed for Sept. 1, next.

Trouble Brewing In Samoa.

Melbourne, May 22.—Warlike rumors are prevalent in Samoa, where the rebel chiefs have cordially received a German warship, causing uneasiness.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Of Post 120 Held Memorial Exercles Last Evening.

The Woman's Relief Corps had the annual memorial service to their deceased members in Post 120, G. A. R., last evening.

The hall was decorated with flags and flowers, with a profusion of green, and the vacant chair was conspicuous in colors.

The exercises began with a prayer by the chaplain, Mrs. Alecta Titcomb, and after a piano solo by William J. Cowdry, Mrs. M. E. Offutt, the president, made an address. Mrs. Annie E. Tuttle, the first president of the corps, read the list of the deceased who were members and delivered a brief memorial to each. The names of these as read were: Mrs. Ellen Rollins, Mrs. Martha J. Butler, Miss G. Maria Robbins, Miss Dottie A. Mansfield, Miss Mary A. Lang, Mrs. Margaret Gilman, Mrs. Lucy A. Smiley, Mrs. Ada E. Cilley, Mrs. Mary C. Pike, Mrs. Eliza J. Hall, Mrs. Cora F. Dobbins, Mrs. Sarah P. Cook, Mrs. Nancy E. Fifield, Mrs. Mary A. Daniels, Mrs. Jane L. Grann and Mrs. Ruhamah L. Kennedy.

The exercises closed with "America."

The committee on arrangements was Mrs. G. W. Whitney, Mrs. A. M. Blaisdell, Mrs. Frank Blood, Mrs. Melvin Blood and Mrs. Alexander Hastings.

THE HOWAHYA BOYS.

Vesper Minstrels Entertained at Tyng's Island.

The mirth and music of the Alabasta minstrels and Howahya were revived at Tyng's island last night when the Vesper club entertained the men who took part in the recent successful performances at the Opera house.

The party left the boat house on the steamer at 6.30 o'clock. On arrival at the island the D. L. Page Co. served a first rate supper, and then came a second edition of the minstrel show with impromptu and revised additions. The return trip to Lowell was made soon after 10 o'clock. A. G. Swapp, J. Thorpe and Julian Keyes were the committee of arrangements.

OLD WAR COMRADES

Of Company A, 33d Regiment Held Their Third Reunion.

Company A, 33d regiment, had its third reunion yesterday afternoon. The ranks have grown very thin but those who remain were enthusiastic in recalling the memories of their war exploits.

The survivors present yesterday were: S. C. Smiley, John McQuesten, Charles H. Kimball, Darius Whitbed, J. B. Brown, Samuel Lawrence of Lowell; A. C. Stacy of Boston; J. V. Abbott of Dedham; E. A. Bartlett of Chelmsford; J. H. Little of Winchester, N. H; C. F. Hardy of Groveland.

President Smiley presided at the business meeting, which was held in Post 120 hall. It was reported that one comrade had died during the year, Andrew A. Mason.

The officers were re-elected as follows: President, S. C. Smiley; vice president, John McQuestion; secretary and treasurer, A. C. Stacy.

A letter of regret was read from Mayor Courtney. It was voted to leave the time and place of the next reunion to the officers.

Then the veterans adjourned to the cafe of the D. L. Page company, and had a substantial dinner. After the dinner there was informal speaking back in the hall again.

Comrade Little gave reminiscenses of young Ladd, with whom he worked in the Lowell Machine shop when both enlisted for the front.

Comrades Abbott, Kimball and others also made remarks.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Honors Its Grand Regent at Its Quarters.

Lowell Council Royal Arcanum did honor last evening to Grand Regent Albert W. David who has been chosen to the highest office in the state.

With the grand regent was Grand Orator Walsh and W. N. Swain of Boston and delegates were present from Highland, North Billerica and Lawrence councils.

In the regular council meeting one candidate was initiated and Mr. David and others made brief speeches. Then followed a spread in the banquet hall and later several clever vaudeville artists from the Savoy entertained the gathering. The occasion was one long to be remembered by Mr. David and his friends.

Choked Off.

Madrid, May 22.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday, Senor Gasset made a motion requesting the Spanish government to protest against the language used in the United States senate with reference to Spanish institutions. The president of the chamber, however, refused to permit a debate on the subject.

Alleged Firebug Held.

Fall River, Mass. May 22.—Daniel Sullivan, who was arrested here on a charge of having set fire to a tenement house, was brought before Justice McDonald yesterday, and held under $10,000 bail for a hearing next Tuesday. Sullivan pleaded not guilty to the charge of arson.

Out of Episcopal Church.

Boston, May 22.—By his own request, Rev. Samuel J. Fuller of Malden has been deposed from the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal church. The clerical ceremony took place at St. Paul's church in the presence of two presbyters of the diocese. Rev. Mr. Fuller had been suspended from the ministry for a term of two years for alleged breaking of the canonical law in his second marriage, after divorcing his first wife.

Buildings Wrecked by Gas.

Coffeyville, Kan., May 22.—A gas explosion wrecked two brick buildings in the center of the city, causing the instant death of David Carter, the fatal injury of Matthew Atkinson and Eliza Pinsley, and the wounding, more or less seriously, of 13 others.

Held on Murder Charge.

Durham, Conn., May 22.—Clarence E. Murphy, charged with the murder of his mother, during a drunken quarrel, was held without bail for the September term of the superior criminal court, in Middletown.

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THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

New Elevated Railroad to be Established.

Boston, May 22.—An elevated railroad bill, incorporating a company with $1,000,000 capital, was introduced in the house. The capital of $1,000,000 is to be divided into shares of $1000 each, and upon approval of the railroad commissioners the capital stock may be increased to $10,000,000.

PADRONE SYSTEM

In Full Swing in Public Works in Providence, R. I.

Concord, N. H., May 22.—Legal proceedings which have been begun against J. E. McShane, for renting a building to a liquor dealer, seems to have thoroughly frightened the owners of buildings in which liquor is sold. In several instances saloon-keeping tenants have already been warned out of the premises they occupy. Those interested, prophesy that the latest move of the Law and Order league will practically destroy the open sale of liquor in this city.

ROW IN COMMONS.

Davitt and Others Put Out By Sergeant at Arms.

London, May 22.—The house of commons has been discussing the bill providing for the reduction of rates on agricultural land in committee since 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At 3 o'clock this morning the closure was moved, but several members refused to enter the division lobby, whereupon the speaker summoned and named John Dillon, Dr. Tanner, Daniel Sullivan, David George and John Lewis—the latter two Welsh members, and the others Irish members—for disobeying the chair. Arthur Balfour moved their suspension, which was carried by a vote of 209 to 58. Michael Davitt and Daniel Macalees remained in the house during this division, and were removed by the sergeant-at-arms. Mr. Harcourt thereupon moved to adjourn the debate, as the house was not in a fit condition to continue, but the speaker declined to accept the motion, and the discussion continued.

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One case of Ladies' Richelieu Ribbed Swiss Vests, low neck and short sleeves, positively the greatest value ever offered, at
12 1-2c Each.

One case of Ladies' Swiss Lisle Vests, fancy embroidered, and ribbon necks, always sold at 39c. For this sale,
25 Cents Each.

One case of Ladies' Spun Silk and Silk and Lisle Vests, also a quantity of Fancy Lisle Vests, goods that sold all the way from 62 1-2c. to 87 1-2c.
Price to Close 39c. Each.

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR.

One case of Misses' Swiss Ribbed Vests, sizes 1 to 4, usually sold at 19c. for this sale
12 1-2c. Each.

One case of Misses' Swiss Vests, low necks and no sleeves, regular 25c. goods, for this sale,
15c Each.

INFANTS' UNDERWEAR.

One case of Jersey Cotton Vests, low necks and sleeveless, at the extraordinary low price of
5c Each or 6 for 33c.

NOTICE, To Restaurant and Boarding House Proprietors. We opened yesterday a carload of White Crockery and place on sale today the most extraordinary bargain of the season.
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The Olympic Bowling Alleys are the finest in the city. No one need go hungry up there, as the Butchers and Grocers have entered a tournament, which begins next week. Get into the game, and remember these alleys are under the supervision of Tommy Golden. They are open day and night at No. 110 MIDDLESEX STREET.

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Meats and Provisions.
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Today at 2.30. Tonight at 8.
LAST WEEK OF THE SEASON.
The Great Music, C. W. Littlefield, introducing Character, Oddities and Peculiarities. N. B. Particular attention is called to this gentleman's phenomenal voice.
The Eccentric Comedy Team, Dan Gracey and Ada H. Burnett, in an Original Novelty Sketch, entitled "A Pleasant Visit."
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SPECIAL—Souvenirs for Ladies every Friday Evening. A Present and Reserved seat for Children at Saturday Matinee for 10c.

NEW MUSIC HALL
W. H. BOODY, Manager.
FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 25.
With daily matinees. A benefit will be tendered to the attaches of Music Hall.
A GRAND LIST
OF
VAUDEVILLE STARS
Have been engaged, headed by the famous
JOE OTT
And his brother PHIL OTT of Dazzler and Star Gazer fame. Don't miss this show, it will be the best Vaudeville performance ever given in Lowell, at any price.

EIGHTH SEASON
LAKEVIEW PARK
A SUMMER PARADISE,
NATURE'S HOME and BEAUTY'S BOWER.
Only 5 miles from Lowell on the Lowell-Nashua road.
The Season will begin
Saturday, May 23d
Two Large Steamers, one of which but recently built, will convey visitors to all parts of Lake Massapoag.
Swings, Merry-go-rounds, Fishing, Boating, Shady Nooks, Rugged Rocks, Etc.
By an elaborate System of Electric Lighting it is always day at Lakeview.
All the buildings have been renewed, repainted and newly fitted up.
Bowlers will find the best alleys in the state. They have been put in condition by Dinsmore.
Joe Hibbard and his orchestra will furnish music for the dancers.
An Italian chef presides over the products of the Lakeview kitchen, which has no equal in New England.
Cars Leave Square Every 15 Min.
Fare 5 Cents.

That excellent remedy doing away with that incommodating perspiration of the feet and thereby causing in most cases a bad smell, is giving first class satisfaction. Every apothecary tells it. Call for it. The Magic Powder Co., 480 Merrimack Street.

YOUR SUMMER HAT.
We are exhibiting the finest line of Straw Hats ever brought into Lowell. Light Weight Underwear, Hosiery, Summer Neckwear, Negligee Shirts to please the most fastidious.
ARTHUR J. CUMMISKEY,
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Are you satisfied with the work you are getting? Well hadn't you better try us? Giving satisfaction is our hobby.
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Work Called For and Delivered.

DO NOT FATIGUE
Yourself by hurrying home to your dinner when you can get a fine lunch or a substantial dinner at
HARRY RICHARDSON'S
Dining Rooms, formerly Partridge's Cafe, Merrimack street, opposite Old Post Office. A first class bill of fare and moderate prices.

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Trunk Manufactory
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The Largest Day's Sales Saturday Ever Recorded

BEYOND ALL EXPECTATIONS WAS THE SUCCESS OF THE STROUSE & BROS. SALE

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ACCEPT OUR CASH OFFER FOR THEIR FINE SUIT STOCK

TELEGRAM TO TALBOT & CO.

Will Accept Your Offer to Introduce Goods. It is a Sacrifice. STROUSE & BROS.

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We wish to thank the people who so patiently waited for salesmen during the great rush Saturday. We did not realize there would be quite so large a response although we knew such values in fine goods would surely be appreciated. So many good suits at $12.50 and $15 make good friends for us from all thinking men.

HIGH ART CLOTHNG at Popular Prices.

Extra Salesmen wanted for next Saturday—None but experienced men need apply.

Permanent Saturday position for good men.

LOT ONE.

The most beautiful Worsted Covert Cloth Suit, cut in sack style, finely lined and made in Strouse & Bros.' best style. Worth $28 a suit, we shall sell at

$15 a Suit

LOT TWO.

An exquisite Gray Hair Line Worsted Sack Suit, never should be sold less than $25. We offer to our customers at

$15 a Suit

LOT THREE.

A small lot of fine imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, sack style, worth $25, we shall sell at

$15 a Suit

LOT FOUR.

Fine imported Bluish Slate Worsted, sacks only, made only to sell at $25. We offer at

$15 a Suit

LOT FIVE.

Beautiful Imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, made as only Strouse & Bros can make their best goods. Wholesale price was 50 per cent. more than we offer the suit to you at

$12.50 a Suit

LOT SIX.

Men's Sack Suits in a fine Dark colored Double Clay Weaves, lined elegantly, made to sell at $25. We shall sell at

$15 a Suit

LOT SEVEN.

Gentlemen's Stylish Sack Suits, a very fine imported fancy worsted in a brownish check, made patch pocket, sack lined in the best manner, and should retail readily at Strouse & Bros.' jobbing price, $19 a suit. We shall sell for

$12.50 a Suit

LOT EIGHT.

32 best imported Fancy Worsted Suits, a brownish hair line, made by Strouse & Bros. What more could be said, except $25 would be cheap for them. We shall sell for

$12.50 a Suit

Call this week, if possible.

LOT NINE.

Strouse & Bros.' fine imported Fancy Cheviot Suits, worth $22 at

$12.50 a Suit

LOT TEN.

A combination lot of three style-lots, 7520-7752-7900. Finest tailor-made suits, Strouse & Bros.' most stylish patterns, worth $20 and $22. We shall sell at

$12.50 a Suit

In conjunction with Strouse & Bros.' sale, we offer several remarkable trades in cheaper suits. Three lines of Fancy Worsted Suits in neat dark stripes, $18 grade at

$9.75 a Suit

LOT 4070.

Fancy Grey Cheviot Suits, worth $13.00 a suit, at

$8.00

LOT 3900.

Light Fancy Cheviot, worth $8 a suit, at

$5.00 each

LOT 4093.

Nobby light Fancy Suit, worth $12 a suit, at

$6.75 each

Come before the stock is broken.

A SENSATION IN THE TRADE

You all know of the Washington Mills of Lawrence.

You all have heard of their famous Fancy Clays.

You all know for service they will wear to look well longer than most any suit made

You know $15.00 is the usual price of the best grades of the Washington Mills Clay Suits.

Possibly, too, you have seen their extreme Light Weight, offered as a bargain at $10.00 or $12.00.

WHAT DO WE DO?

We will tell you. We shall sell 500 suits in the two best patterns, genuine Washington Mills 14 oz. Fancy Clays, serviceably made, at the remarkble price of

$6.75 a Suit

See them in our windows.

All the Summer Furnishing Goods now ready. Great variety of Summer Underwear, Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear, etc.

BE A HANDSOME MAN.

Wear Style 1515, the hat with all the characteristics of a $3.00 hat and costs but $2.00. Colors, Black, Hazel and London Brown.

BEAR IN MIND, STROUSE & BROS. MAKE THE HIGHEST GRADE CLOTHING MANUFACTURED IN THE UNITED STATES AND AT PRICES NAMED, EVERY MAN IN THE CITY SHOULD EXAMINE THE GOODS.

THE TALBOT CLOTHING CO.

AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, Central Street, Lowell, Mass.

THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—4:15; sets, 7:06.
Length of day—14h. 51m.
Moon sets—1:26 a. m.
Full sea—8:45 a. m.; 7:15 p. m.

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Partly cloudy; possibly light local showers; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Light showers, followed by clearing weather; easterly, shifting to southwesterly winds; warmer in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

LOCAL NEWS.

See local news on third page.

The gentlemen's delight, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Whooping cough is keeping some of the young children out of school these days.

Second-hand bicycle for sale at 115 Central st.—Bargain for cash—grab it quick.

The examinations at St. Patrick's Boys' school will be held about the first of June.

Just try Rourke & Sullivan with your next order for coal. Send postal or telephone.

Messrs. Charles P. Donohoe and Thomas J. McDonald are enjoying the fishing at Rangeley Lakes.

Best coal at lowest prices at E. A. Wilson's, cor. of Bridge and Merrimack street Runels building. If you have no time to call, telephone.

The marriage of Miss Lucy Gertrude Downs and Mr. Charles Henry Holgate is announced to take place Wednesday evening, June 3, and the reception will be from 6 to 8.30 o'clock at 13 South Whipple street.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The conductors on the Haverhill and Lowell line of the street railway by no means favor a through run between the three cities as is done in summer. "I can't see why they do it" says one to me the other day, "I'll bet that I don't average more than two through passengers a day during the week. It is much more tiresome to make these through trips although I know that we don't cover any more miles." An accommodation is, however, afforded residents of Tower hill aboard the Lowell cars, who wish to stop along Essex street. By having the cars run to Haverhill they can do this without changing.—Lawrence American.

A man taken to Bellevue hospital, New York, for insanity imagined that he was an actor. There are many who do not become subjects for medical scrutiny who labor under a similar delusion.—Boston Traveler.

And somehow many of them come to Lowell occasionally.

White Ware Almost Given Away.

We have placed on sale this morning several crates of white ware at prices which will cause a speedy sale. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billiards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

BOXING GOSSIP.

"The Referee" in the Boston Traveler wisely remarks:

"Just as I said, there was an immense amount of talk regarding the outcome of the McCoy-Smith contest at the Armory building the other evening. Joe Walcott is the first out in the field with a challenge to the winner. Joe thinks he would have lots of fun with McCoy, and so do I, but it would not be the kind of fun that Joseph would enjoy to any particular extent. McCoy is altogether too clever for Joe, and I hardly think the latter with his very short reach would be able to get his glove on McCoy's face. Under no circumstances, though, will McCoy fight Walcott, for he sternly draws the color line. The proceeding is an idiotic one on his part, for Walcott, Dixon and others have clearly demonstrated that a colored man can fight just as gamely and as scientifically as a white man. When a man is a fighter and posing for *championship honors* it seems to me that the color of a man's money is the only color he should look for. There has always been a deep-rooted prejudice to Joe Walcott. Sporting men did not like to see Joe matched against a white man, but I have an idea that the scruples of the sporting men would be removed very quickly if some white fellow came along who was able to give Joseph a good thrashing."

Local lovers of good boxing will undoubtedly turn out in large numbers to the spring meeting of the Gladstone Athletic club at the cricket grounds tomorrow, when a fine program of track and ring sports will be presented. As everyone knows the principal bout will be a 20 round exhibition between Mike Sears of Lewiston, Me., the plucky little bantam known all over the fistic world, and Luke Burke of this city, the promising young boxer who went a 12 round draw with Sears at the Gladstone club last year. Their first meeting was the first of importance for Burke, who was nervous and inexperienced.

Since that time he has been in the ring against several good ones and besides has improved wonderfully as a boxer. In his record it appears that he fought a three round draw with one Pete Carney, knocked out Babbison in two rounds at the Gladstone club, drew with Mike Sears, 12 rounds at the Gladstone, knocked out young Sisto in four rounds at the King Philip club in Providence, drew with Jimmy Duffy in six rounds at the Prescott Athletic club, Boston; boxed with Joe Elms. Then he won from Fred Harrington in four rounds, won from Brennan in 3 rounds, from Humphery in 3 and from Colton in 3, while at 105 pounds in the amateur ranks.

Mike Sears has a long record of big victories going up against some of the finest men in the business. His most notable fights of late were with Sammy Kelly of New York losing a decision in New York and drawing on the second meeting in Boston.

Thomas Scully will referee the bouts.

There will be two interesting preliminaries one being a four round go between Jack Smith of this city and Tom Smith of Haverhill at 115 pounds and a four round go between Charlie Armstrong of this city and an unknown.

Beside the boxing, according to the program there will be an amusing barrel boxing contest, a bicycle race for novices, a tug of war and a mile run for a $30 purse between Tom Kelly of this city and Billy Salmon, his old rival. The admission is light and there will be any quantity of amusement.

AYER'S PILLS THE PILL THAT WILL CURE HEADACHE INDIGESTION BILIOUSNESS CONSTIPATION

Harvard TONIC PILLS THE GREATEST NERVE AND KIDNEY REMEDY ON EARTH. Price 50¢ Sold by all druggists. HARVARD PILL CO. LOWELL, MASS.

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ADVICE FREE.—I have nothing to sell. I was a great sufferer for years. I tried doctors and remedies without relief, but am now perfectly well. Address, with stamp, and I will tell you how I was cured by a safe and sure way, without cutting, dilating, pain, or detention from business. For obvious reasons I do not give my name. Address "GRATITUDE," box 758 Back Bay Postoffice, Boston Mass.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The people are anxiously awaiting the investigation of the horse deal. When the common council meets next Tuesday evening, the investigating committee on the part of the lower board, will be named and then the matter can be thoroughly sifted.

Alderman Tryder is recovering from the injuries he received by being kicked by a horse.

Some people labor under the impression that a tuition fee is charged pupils in the kindergarten schools. This matter came to the attention of some of the teachers recently, and for the benefit of parents who may have that mistaken idea, it can be stated that all pupils who attend the kindergarten schools are taken in free of charge.

The committee on school houses and hygiene of the school board will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Alderman Howe is anxiously awaiting the return of City Solicitor Qua in order that he may examine and pass on the deeds for the Bartlett school site.

The committee on streets, yesterday afternoon, went on a tour of inspection of places where street improvements are asked. Every member of the committee took the ride.

Some of the school census enumerators have completed their work and are preparing to submit their returns.

Clinton R. Carpenter, for two and a half years bookkeeper at the Traders' bank has resigned to become cashier of the new Red Seal company.

ANOTHER BRIDGE FIRE.

This Time Central Bridge Had a Slight Blaze.

Central bridge, or at least a portion of it was on fire yesterday noon.

When George Frye, superintendent of sewer work was going to dinner he saw a little blaze on one of the joists to which the planking is nailed.

He tried to brush it off but found it had burned deeper than he imagined. Then a boy came along and threw a pail of water on it and extinguished the blaze.

JUDGE LILLEY ILL.

Criminal Court at Salem Was Adjourned on That Account.

Owing to the illness of Judge Lilley, the sitting of the superior criminal court at Salem was adjourned Thursday morning till next Monday at 9.15 o'clock.

Overwork is the cause of Judge Lilley's indisposition. On account of the illness of Justice Bond all the other justices of the court have been compelled to perform an extra amount of labor, going from sitting to sitting without intermission, the result being the present sickness of Justice Lilley and worn looks that show on the countenances of Justice Sherman and other members of the bench.

At present all the justices favor the bill before the legislature increasing the number of justices by two, considering this increase an actual necessity if the dockets are ever going to be relieved of the pressure under which they labor in all the counties.

Officer Redmond Welch shot a large muskrat on Dutton street early this morning, "nailing" it with one bullet.

NEW BACKS, FOR OLD

No Fairy Tale About This—Only Solid Facts.

We're doing it every day in Lowell.

It's our business.

All new backs we furnish are satisfactory, too.

Marvellous, isn't it?

Not so much so when you know who we are.

We're Doan's Kidney Pills.

Don't surprise you so much now.

You know they always do their work.

And their work is making new backs out of old.

Old backs ache.

That is, they seem to ache.

It's the kidneys that ache.

And the back does the talking.

Back ache is not all there is of kidney disease.

It's only the starter, so to speak.

Urinary troubles follow thick and fast.

Excessive urine—very common complaint.

Sediment in urine—getting worse.

High color and pain in passing—worse still.

Diabetes—Bright's Disease—Death—that's the end.

Trade that old back for a new one now.

Don't wait for all coming horrors.

Doan's Kidney Pills make the old back new.

Ask any Lowell citizen—here are a few:

Mark Walsh, 128 Central street.
Mrs. Chas. Slowey, 641 Market street.
G. S. Emerson, 512 Westford street.
H. Doyle, 1415 Middlesex street.
Mrs. Mary Traynor, 28 Pearl Street.
Mrs. S. A. Lewis, 82 Grand street.
Martin Canning, 9 Whiting street.
Thos. Burke, 12 Garnet street.
H. E. Richardson, Dexter's grocery.
F. D. Sawyer, 118 Walker street.
Mrs. Knowles, 46 Cross street.
Mrs. F. Warburton, 70 Elm street.
J. W. Mevis, 448 Riverside street.
Mrs. Mary Gard, 4 Noble's court.
W. S. Richardson, 82 Royal street.
R. J. Gilmour, 54 Jenness street.
F. Zesoweitz, 150 Dummer street.
Clarence Wilman, Carpet Mills.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers; price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S.

LADIES WHO VALUE

A refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder. It produces a soft & beautiful skin.

LIGHT INFANTRY

Met at American House and Elected Officers.

The Richardson Light Infantry association held its 24th annual reunion in the American house last evening. The reunion opened with a business meeting the following members being present:

Joseph Hodge, a member of the Seventh Mass. Battery, and Clarence Robinson, son of Comrade Robinson of Lonsdale, R. I., were present as guests of the association and Hon. George F. Richardson, the god-father of the organization was on hand.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Z. B. Stuart, Manchester, N. H.; vice president, George N. Thissell, Methuen; secretary and treasurer, C. W. Brigham; board of government, Henry M. Hand, Franklin French, C. H. Frost, W. M. Green.

Official reports were submitted, supper was served and Hon. George F. Richardson and others made addresses.

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Capes, Jackets,
Shirt Waists,
Dress Skirts,
Mackintoshes
and Cravenettes

A Manufacturer's Stock Closed Out for 40 Cents on the Dollar---SPOT CASH.

You get the benefit if you trade with us.

DRESS SKIRTS
All the latest cloths, best fitting, very wide, regular tailor made, from $1.12 to $7.95, actual value, $2.50 to $12.50.

OUTING SUITS
In Linen, Duck, Serge, Brilliantine, Mohairs, Fancy Mixtures, Combination Suits, etc. Grand assortment from $2.98 to $17.50.

CAPES
In Silks, Velvets and Cloths, 700 new Capes just in. Big values at $1.19, $1.49, $1.98, $2.75, $3.48, $3.97 to $7.50.

JACKETS
LATEST NOVELTIES, $5.00 Jackets $1.98; $7.50 Jackets $3.75; $10.00 Jackets $4.98; 15.00 Jackets $7.50.

MACKINTOSHES
Two-cape, Plaid-lined, Inlaid Velvet Collar (warranted) Mackintoshes, actual value, $8.50, this sale, $4.95.

CRAVENETTE GARMENTS
One hundred new garments, just in, with handsome silk-lined Capes, etc., at $7.50 to $15.00.

SHIRT WAISTS HEADQUARTERS
Five hundred dozen best variety, most perfect fitting and choicest patterns.

NEW GRASS LINEN EFFECTS
Bargains in Misses and Children's Wash Suits, Cloth Suits, Children's White Dresses, etc.

Chris Holmes' SPECIALTY STORE,
124 and 126 Merrimack Street.

Cut His Head.

John Wallace, an employe of Stott's Lawrence street mill, while piling up wool in the wool house Thursday struck his head against a beam and sustained a bad cut. Twelve stitches were required to close it. Mr. Wallace was taken to his home on Swift street.

Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

SANBORN & DONOVAN

Bad Bills Collected,
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Money to Loan.

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ALL ABOARD FOR TYLER PARK

At a meeting of the directors of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway held May 18, it was voted to extend the tracks up Westford to Pine Street before "Winter."

THEREFORE, now is the time to buy house lots at Tyler Park to which the electrics will soon run directly.

These lots are situated at or near the height of land and there are none more desirable in Lowell. For terms and full particulars call on W. H. BENT, or

D. E. DUDLEY, Agt.
21 Hildreth Building.

JUST READ THIS—With you again and located at the old stand, under Middlesex Mechanics hall, with a first-class assortment of fruit and ornamental trees, vines and shubbery in large varieties. We sell nothing but New England grown stock, fresh from the nurseries every day. Anything in our line we should be pleased to show you. Call and select your stock. We guarantee satisfaction of both quality and price. Open every day from 8 a. m., to 6 p. m. Opp. Merrimack street depot, Dutton street. Respectfully, W. K. Tibbetts.

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Stationery and Blank Books and the May Fashion Books.
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FORCING DOWN PRICES

That's what we're always doing. Those who purchase now get more than their money's worth.

Silk Waists, Shirt Waists, Separate Skirts, Outing Suits, were never obtained at so small an outlay.

SILK WAISTS—For $3.50, $3.95, $4.50, $5.95 and $6.50, in Dresden and Fancy Taffeta Stripes, beautiful assortment of colorings and made in the very latest styles, would cost you anywhere from $6.00 to $10.00.

LAUNDERED SHIRT WAISTS—For 49, 59, 75, 85, 98c. and $1.25. Excellent values and handsome styles. We positively show the largest assortment in this city.

SEPARATE SKIRTS—For $1.75, $1.98, $2.50, $3.95 and upward, in all the new materials, full flare, warranted in every respect, all skirts shortened and felled when necessary free of charge.

OUTING SUITS—For $4.95, $5.75, $6.75, $7.50, $8.75 and $10, made from Serges, Coverts, Fancy Muslins and combinations. Skirts all full width, lined throughout and stiffened, full tailor made and a fit guaranteed.

ALLEN'S CELERY MIXTURE

is the ideal spring remedy. As a remedy for the nerves and a blood purifier there is nothing better. For sale by all druggists.

COAL, COKE, HARD WOOD, Slab Wood and Kindlings a Specialty. Wonderful load of Wood for $1.00 J. CARR & CO., Prop's No. 201 Charles Street.